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SHERWOOD—In memory of my loved son, Sapper William Eaton Sherwood, died of wounds received in action, Armistice Day.—Mother.

SEARIGHT—In memory of Lieutenant Gerald Graves Searight, Royal Dublin Fusiliers, son of Rev. Fred. S. and the late Alisic Griffith Searight, who died at Bagrah, 12th November, 1920.

BIRTHS.

BARTON—November 6, 1926, to Lady Mary, wife of Lieutenant-Commander R. V. Barton, R.N., a daughter.

BLUNDEN—November 10, 1926, at Banskill, near Doncaster, Yorks., to Bridget, wife of Eric O. Blunden, B.A., B.A.I., A.M.Inst.C.E., a daughter.

HICKEY—November 11, 1926, at Tara Villa, Sandown road, Knock, Belfast, the wife of George Kyle Hickey (née Warren), of a daughter.

SHAW—November 6, 1926, at Private Nursing Home, 5 Mount street Crescent, to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Shaw, Bloomfield, Mullingar, a daughter.

SHEARMAN—November 10, 1926, at Toronto, Canada, to Mr. and Mrs. T. E. C. Shearman, a daughter.

WEYMAN—October 31, 1926, at Leicester Private Hospital, to Joyce, wife of Major Arthur Weyman, the Leicestershire Regiment, a son.

MARRIAGE.

TOBIN and KICKHAM—October 6, 1926, at St. Peter's Church, Phibsborough, by the Very Rev. T. Kickham, James J. Tobin, son of late Michael Tobin, Mullinahone, and Mrs. Toole, Birkenhead, to Kathleen, eldest daughter of Nicholas and Mrs. Kickham, Mullinahone, County Tipperary.

DEATHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for insertion in this column will be found on Page 6.

DOONER—November 9, 1926, at Ditton Place, near Maidstone, Kent, Colonel William Toke Dooner, C.B.E., only surviving son of the late John King Dooner, Esq., of Barton, Rathfarnham, County Dublin, aged 82.

GORMAN—November 11, 1926, at Grange Sylvae Rectory, Harriet Pitcairn, widow of the late Archdeacon Gorman, in her 92nd year. Funeral at Thomastown to-morrow (Saturday) at 12 o'clock.

LARKIN—November 11, 1926, the Rev. John Larkin, C.C., Borris-in-Ossory, second son of the late James Larkin and Mrs. Larkin, John street, Kilkenny. Deeply regretted by his mother, brothers, and sisters. R.I.P. Funeral to-morrow (Saturday) to Muckalee.

McKEEVER—November 10, 1926, at his residence, Bettystown House, Laytown, Francis Germain McKeever, LL.B., Solicitor, 35 Laurence street, Drogheda, aged 53 years. Funeral to-morrow (Saturday), leaving residence at 11.30, arriving St. Mary's Church, Drogheda, at 12.30.

PIM—November 10, 1926, at his residence, Ogle's Grove, Hillsborough, James Nicholson Richardson, second son of the late Joshua Pim, Lisnagarvey, Lisburn. Funeral strictly private. No flowers, by request.

REZIN—November 10, 1926, at 52 Main street, Arklow, George, youngest son of the late John and Mrs. Rezin, Ballinasloe. Funeral to-day (Friday) at 2.30 p.m. to New Cemetery, Arklow.

STEWART—November 10, 1926, at his residence, Manor House, Castlefin, William John Stewart. Funeral to Donoughmore (Lower) Burying Ground to-morrow (Saturday), 13th inst., at 11 o'clock a.m.

WRIGHT—November 9, 1926, at the residence of her son, W. B. Wright, Inglewood, Burlington road, Altrincham, Arabella, aged 72 years, widow of the late Thomas Wright, of Dublin.

WRIGHT—November 9, 1926, at Lower Swainswick House, Bath, Lily Henrietta, beloved wife of Ernest Maltravers Wright, and eldest daughter of the late Mrs. Webb, of Kilmalogue House, Portarlington.

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HATTON—Third Anniversary.—In ever-loving memory of Mary Jane (Cissie), who died on the 11th November, 1923, daughter of the late Richard Hatton and Eleanor Bolger, Ballygraney, Borris, County Carlow. "Suffer little children to come unto Me."
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GROCERY, Provisions, and Bar-Man, having 11 years' experience, desires position; thorough knowledge. Address "Z 1930, Man," this office. 10 E

LADY requires post, some hours Daily, Correspondence, Reading, etc.—S 1549, this office. 8 E

LADY seeks Secretarial post, experienced, Shorthand, Typewriting, and Bookkeeping; presently engaged; Dublin or Cork preferred. Address "Z 1865, Lady," this office. 8 E

LADY wants daily occupation after Christmas from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.; good cook; would do marketing and be generally useful.—322, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot street Bridge. 10 A

MOTHER'S Help seeks situation; first lessons and music; Protestant.—Sutton, Ashford, Co. Wicklow. 9 F

MERCANTILE Mariner, leaving sea through slightly defective eyesight, wants work in any capacity; excellent testimonials. Apply S 1726, this office. 10 A

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PORK Butcher disengaged; good at manufacturing, also gut cering; take position, city, country.—S 1741, this office. 10 E

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MALE SERVANTS WANTED.

GAMEKEEPER Wanted, to train Cocker Dog; state terms.—S 1769, this office. 10 A

WANTED, Butler-Valet, experienced, active, highly recommended (Protestant), for country. Address "Z 1873, Butler," this office. 8 E

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WANTED, young Man to milk and deliver, drive Ford van if required; wages £2 (outdoor).—S 1806, this office.

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GARDENER and General Man Wanted (married), gate lodge, Monkstown.—S 1738, this office. 10 A

MALE SERVANTS DISENGAGED.

BUTLER, experienced, well recommended, Protestant; married, no children; please state particulars.—325, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot street Bridge.

ENERGETIC young Man (18), tall, good appearance, educated, seeks situation as Footman; P.P. recommendation; highly respectable; not out before; private or hotel. Address "Z 1977, Man," this office.

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YOUNG Man, with knowledge farm work, seeks situation to gain more experience; wages not important; good references.—S 1579, this office. 8 E

YOUNG Man, single, seeks situation; can drive and care Ford car, can do yard work, also milk; state terms.—S 1804, this office.

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WANTED, young domesticated person for small modern flat in London; quick, clean worker, willing to help with two young children; wages £26 per annum; copy references required.—Box D 857, Irish Times Branch Office, 59 Fleet street, London, E.C.4. 10 A

COOKS AND DAIRYMAIDS WANTED.

COOK General Wanted by Irish Lady; 3 in family; wages commencing £32; fare advanced. Apply, with discharges, 245 Grove lane, Handsworth, Birmingham. 10 A

GOOD Singlehanded Cook Wanted, small dairy, country; must state age, wages, and send reference when replying. Address "Z 1933, Cook," this office. 10 F

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WANTED, good Cook, thoroughly understanding game, entrees, bread, soups, invalid cookery; no registry offices need apply; please send original papers; good Kitchenmaid also Wanted.—Mrs. Longfield, Longueville, Mallow. 8 E

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WANTED for Co. Louth, Cook General (R.C.); wages £30. Address "Z 1964, Cook General," this office. 11 A

WANTED, a smart Cook General; good references; Merrion road.—S 1803, this office. 11 F

GENERALS WANTED.

A CAPABLE General Wanted; family three. Apply after four, Kimberley, Cowper road. 10 E

AN experienced young General Wanted; good plain cook; small family; good wages.—78 St. Lawrence road, Clontarf. 11 X

GENERAL, for farmer's place, County Dublin; good cook; small washing; enclose copies; state all particulars, wages, etc.—S 1552, this office. 8 E

GENERAL wanted immediately for Bray; young; good plain cook; £26; must have good references. S 1788, this office. 11 F

RELIABLE, willing General Wanted, small family (Pembroke); good houseworker and plain cook.—S 1633, this office.

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WANTED, experienced young General; good plain cook. Apply, with references, Miss Irvine, Greystones. 9 F

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WANTED, experienced young General, Sandymount district; must be good plain cook; good references essential; good wages given to suitable person.—S 1799, this office. 11 F

WANTED, young Girl, aged about 20, as General; able to wash and plain cook. Apply 19 Pembroke Park, Donnybrook.

WANTED, November 26th, steady General, good plain cook, very small washing; family two; small house, Rathgar tram line; £26.—R O 1610, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 11 F

HOUSE AND PARLOURMAIDS WANTED.

AN experienced Parlourmaid required; cook, kitchenmaid and 2 housemaids kept; R.C. Full particulars to Madam McGillycuddy, The Reeks, Beaufort, Kerry. 10 A

HOUSE-Parlourmaid Wanted; send copies references.—Mrs. Hutchinson, Belcamp Hutchinson, Raheny, Co. Dublin. 10 A

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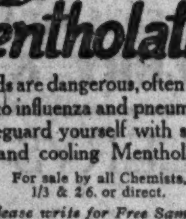
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DUBLIN CIRCUIT COURT

WAR LOAN SECURITY.

ACTION FOR RECOVERY OF £1,000 SCRIP.

(BEFORE JUDGE DROMGOOLE.)

Mrs. Josephine Culhane, of Newcastlewest, Co. Limerick, sued the Provincial Bank of Ireland to recover a certificate or scrip for £1,000 War Loan, which was deposited with the bank under the following circumstances:—

In March, 1924, Mrs. Culhane, then staying at the Hydro, St. Ann's Hill, Blarney, Co. Cork, was visited by Mrs. J. F. Dalton, who said that her son required a loan to relieve his financial embarrassment and thus enable him to retain his position. She gave Mrs. Dalton the scrip for £1,000, with a letter to the bank authorising James F. Dalton to lodge the scrip as security for the loan which he wanted to raise in the bank. He received then from the bank £150, but he went on drawing against the £1,000 scrip to the extent of about £860. When Mrs. Culhane heard of this she wrote to the bank and had the account closed. She paid the £150 for which the scrip was lent and deposited in the bank, and asked to have the document returned to her. The bank pleaded that they had a lien on the scrip in respect of the sum advanced to Mr. Dalton.

On behalf of the defendants it was contended that the certificate was given as security to Mr. Dalton to raise a sum of money in the bank, and there was no mention of any limit to the sum.

Judge Dromgoole held that the £150 which Mr. Dalton raised on presenting the document at the bank exhausted the authority, and the bank had no authority to make the other advances which they made on the strength of the security. The plaintiff was granted her costs.

WOMAN AND HER HOME.

WINDOW DRESSING

By D.M.L.

SUCCESSFUL window dressing is an art to be acquired: to set out goods attractively much skill will be required. And, coming up to Christmas time the shops and stores will vie each with the other in their efforts to make people buy.

Some Dublin shops have been competing for a certain prize to be presented to the one whose windows catch the eyes of those who pass—or, rather, of the folk who look and stop, and finally are drawn right in to the successful shop. For one may not be thinking of a frock or coat or hat, yet when it is enticingly displayed it seems quite natural to stop and look at it, and maybe then to buy, for dear unto the heart is that which pleaseth well the eye. But think how many folk we know—ourselves among them, too—who do not put their choicer goods where other folk can view, but rather, to the folk they meet, they show a window bare of anything that is striking in the goods that huddle there. I am not speaking now of clothes, but of the pleasant charm that man can show to brother man without a bit of harm. Whereas, because a lot of us have not this pleasing art, others will say: "She's very stiff, but has a kindly heart behind it all," and there we have a window empty quite of the attractive goods that are hid well away from sight. Then there are some who err instead upon the other side by putting everything they think where it can all be eyed by passers-by who may not know; though then again they may, that everything the shop possessed there in the window lay.

How fine it would be if people took the pains to window dress, showing a good selection of the stock that they possess, yet keeping just as good inside in heart and soul and mind; for when one goes into a shop one does expect to find that stored away in boxes or on shelves are just as nice things as were put where folk could see, in order to entice.

Then let us learn from windows that are decked so tastefully, not to keep all our pleasant thoughts where others can not see.

PICKLES.

PICKLES are made by steeping vegetables and fruits in vinegar which has been previously boiled with spices, and salt and sugar added in quantities to suit individual taste.

Few housewives think of preparing pickles at home because of the fact that they can now be bought so cheaply and in such variety. Many people, too, are strongly prejudiced against pickles, having the idea that they are most indigestible. As a matter of fact, they are not nearly so indigestible as considered, because they undergo a long soaking in vinegar, which softens the woody part of the vegetables, just the same as prolonged boiling does, and the spices which are used for flavouring render them particularly appetising.

To manufacture pickles really successfully, it is most important that the vegetables or fruits used are perfectly dry, fresh and sound, and that the vinegar and spices are of the best quality.

The principle pickles are cabbage, cauliflowers, gherkins, onions, and walnuts. With the exception of cabbage, these may be mixed together if desired.

Indian pickles, which are generally thick and very highly spiced, form a class by themselves, Mangoes forming a general base.

Damsons are the chief fruit preserved by vinegar, but the same method may be used for any stone fruit which is not overripe.

Copper is sometimes added to pickles, in order to fix the chlorophyll, or green colouring matter, in the vegetables. Its presence is discovered by a coppery tinge it leaves on silver when it comes in touch with same, and it is considered poisonous by most authorities.

The use of copper vessels for pickling purposes have been followed by fatal results, so it is very necessary that an enamelled pan is employed when boiling the vinegar. In the absence of this, a stew jar placed in a saucepan of boiling water may be used.

Pickles when made should be stored in a dry place, having been packed in either earthenware or glass jars. P. P.

DUBLIN DISTRICT COURT

DANCES WITHOUT A LICENCE.

ROTUNDA AND AN OLD CHARTER.

(BEFORE MR. LITTLE.)

William Kaye, proprietor of the Rotunda Cinema, was summoned for permitting the Round Room and Pillar Room of the Rotunda to be used for public dancing without having a music and dancing licence, under the Public Health Act, 1890, and Thomas McGrath, dance organiser, Parnell street, was summoned for using the premises without being duly licensed.

Mr. James Cawley (instructed by Mr. S. Henry), for Kaye, contended that under an old Charter and Act (1786) the Rotunda occupied a privileged position, and did not require a licence.

For the prosecution, Mr. C. Lavery (instructed by Mr. Clarke, Chief State Solicitor's office) argued that there was nothing in the charter dealing with public entertainments or the licensing of any part of the premises. The exemptions granted applied only so long as the profits derived should be applied to the support of the Rotunda Hospital.

After further legal arguments, Mr. Little held that the charter simply exempted the Rotunda from taking out a patent. They had taken out a cinema licence, and the charter did not exempt them from complying with the Public Health Act. He must deem the place a disorderly house.

Mr. Cawley pointed out that the police evidence had been to the effect that the place had been conducted with propriety, and was not disorderly.

Mr. Little imposed a fine of 5s., as the charge was for only one day. The case against McGrath was dismissed.

A temporary licence was granted on the application of Mr. Cawley.

LANDING NOT REPORTED.

STRANDED AMERICAN SAILOR SENTENCED.

(BEFORE MR. COLLINS.)

John E. Masterson, an American sailor, came before the Court charged with failing to report his landing in the Irish Free State to the Civic Guards, and also with stealing coal to the value of 5s.

Mr. Davis, who prosecuted, asked for a deportation, but Mr. Collins said that this could be made only by the Minister for Justice. Masterson had landed without a passport.

The accused said that he reported to the American Consul, who was supposed to help stranded American citizens, but the Consul did nothing for him.

Mr. Collins imposed a sentence of two months' imprisonment for failing to report as an alien, and five weeks' imprisonment for the larceny, the sentences to run concurrently.

MISSING SHEEP CARCASES.

A remand until Monday was granted in the case of Denis Casey, shop assistant, Ovoca road; James Steers, labourer, Golden lane; Philip Moran, Labourer, Camden row; James Healy, butcher, Upper Erne street, and John O'Connell, liner steward, Lower Camden street, who were charged with housebreaking, with conspiring to steal, and with having unlawfully in their possession seven sheep carcases, the property of Mr. Weir, Richmond street.

All the accused were allowed bail in £40, with the exception of O'Connell, whose bail was placed at £200.

TWO MONTHS FOR MALE NURSE.

Joseph O'Toole, male nurse, Gray street, Dublin, was sentenced to two months' imprisonment, to run from the date of his arrest, the 30th ult., on charges of assaulting Daniel Moynihan, also a male nurse, and Mrs. Jessie Dearle, proprietress of the nursing home, 23 Upper Baggot street.

Mr. Collins said that he had medical evidence that prisoner was quite sane. The offence was a serious one, and accused should be thankful that he was not charged with murder.

CONVERSION CHARGE.

John Hanly, High street, was sent for trial, on his own bail of £10, on a charge of fraudulently converting to his own use goods to the value of £90, which he had been instructed to sell for his employer, a Mr. Harrison.

WEDDING BELLS

THERE is always a charm in the melodious voices of bells ringing in tune, and, somehow, there seems always a special joyousness and rush of melody in the wedding-peal. "Golden bells! What a world of happiness their harmony foretells!" What youth or maiden in the early bloom of life does not look forward to the happy time? when—

Begins the clank and clang that tells
The joy to every wandering breeze;
The blind to all rocks, and on the trees
The dead leaf trembles to the bells.

But the bell was not invented to proclaim the joy of wedded hearts. That bells were first used in connection with churches to summon people to their devotions we may take as granted. To what shall we look, then, for the origin of the wedding bell? According to Brand, "the custof rejoicing with bells on high festivals, Christmas Day, etc., is derived to us from early Christian times." This is a trifle vague, and we do not derive much further information from the statement that "The ringing of bells on the arrival of Emperors, Bishops, Abbots, etc., at places under their own jurisdiction, was also an old custom," from which we "seem to have derived the modern compliment of welcoming persons of consequence by a cheerful peal."

Ringing the bells at the time of proclaiming the "Banns" is not very common, but it may still be heard in some out-of-the-way places in England. Touching marriage bells, it may be noted that the bells in Rye Church, Sussex, bear this inscription:—

"In wedlock bands all ye who join
With hands your hearts unite;
So shall our tuneful tongues combine
To bless the nuptial right."

And what said the bells of Varence Panurge? "Why, take thee a wife, take thee a wife, and marry, marry, marry. For if thou marry, thou shalt find good therein; and in a wife thou shalt find good, so marry, marry, marry." Bell-ringing prevails nowhere so much as in England, where, "for a piece of money, anyone may have a peal"; in consequence it came to be called "the ringing island."

As we began with the wedding-peal, let us close with the belief of pious Mohammedans—that on the branches of the trees in Paradise hang innumerable bells, which are set in motion by a gentle wind from the Throne of God. G.G.

HINTS THAT HELP.

SHORT CUTS IN THE SCULLERY.

A bottle that has had sour milk in it can be cleaned by filling with clear warm water, crushing a coal cinder small enough to go through the neck, putting this into the bottle, and shaking well. It will leave the bottle clear and bright-looking, and remove any trace of sourness.

TO KEEP ZINC BUCKETS CLEAN.

Put a few drops of turpentine in hot water when the bucket is in use. This not only prevents dirt settling on the zinc, but also facilitates cleaning operations.

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should be washed in hot soda water, and then cleaned with soap and silver-sand. Rinse, dry and polish with a leather and dry whiting.

A frying-pan should be wiped with squeezed-up newspaper as soon as it is finished with. The paper will absorb the grease, and the pan will need no washing, while the paper will come in splendidly for lighting fires.

FOR THE COOK.

SCRAMBLED EGGS WITH TOMATOES AND CHEESE.

Ingredients. — *One egg, two small tomatoes, one dessertspoonful milk, one dessertspoonful grated cheese, salt, pepper, four small rounds buttered toast.*

Method.—Beat the egg and seasoning together, beat in the milk and grated cheese, then add the tomatoes, which should be skinned and cut into small pieces. Stir over a low light until lightly set, then pile on the toast, and garnish with a sprig of parsley.

BOARD OF HEALTH HEADQUARTERS.

WHY SECRETARY RESIGNED.

In consequence of a decision by the Minister for Local Government that the headquarters of the Monaghan County Board of Health would have to be at the County Home in Castleblayney, and not at Monaghan, as the Board had decided at their last meeting, Mr. Patrick Toal, the Board's Secretary, tendered his resignation.

Mr. F. Duffy said that it was only another instance of how the Local Government Board trampled over the people.

The resignation was accepted, and Mr. Bernard Coyle was appointed Acting Secretary pending an appointment.

FROM THE LEGAL DIARY.

LAW NOTICES—Friday, November 12.

AN PRIMH-BHREITHEAMH (Chief Justice).—Before the Chief Justice, Saorstat Eireann. In the Court of Appeal, at 11 o'clock—Petition, Arabadi Clarke; same, Whitney, Moore and Keller; D'Arcy, minors; Norman, a minor; Hodges, minors; Dolphin, a minor. Before Mr. J. G. Perry, at 11.30 o'clock, Settle report, W. J. Knight. Before Mr. Magahan, at 11.30 o'clock—Vouch account, Carruthers and Gamble. In Court 3, at 11 o'clock. Action—Irish National Assurance Co., Ltd., v. City of Dublin Assurance Co., Ltd., at hearing.

BANKRUPTCY.—In Court No. 4, at 11 o'clock. Arrangements—P. M. Scales, O'Connor and Co., J. H. Dixon, W. Reid, Scallan and Co.; cause against adjudication, C. J. Murray; Mooney, motion, Collins and Son; arrangement, do., Joyce and Joyce; do., do., Smyth and Son; do., do., C. O'Brien; Waddington, motion, J. Clark and Co.; arrangement, do., J. J. Mullan; debtor's summons, motion, O'Connell, Rooney, and Co.; Fitzsimons and Speidel, second meeting comp., N. J. M. Coulter; Gannon, first do., J. Brady; do., public sittings, do.; Creagh, final exam., Lynch and Deering; Evans, confirm sale, Porter, Morris and Co.; Flattery, do., Scallan and Co.; M'Connon, do., do.; Sinnott, do., Moran and Devine; arrangement, account comp., T. J. Graham; Maughan, do., Cox and Co.; arrangement, do., M. J. Dwyer; Kelly, do., O'Meara, Cussen, and Kieran; arrangement, audit and dividend, Collins, and Son; Galbraith, do., W. V. Seddall; Breheny, do., Menton and Co.; Walsh, do., P. C. [illegible]; arrangement, account comp., T. J. Graham; Forrest, do., do.

PROBATE.—In Court No. 6, at 11 o'clock. On Notice—In the goods of Catherine Dolan, decd.; do., James Smith, do.; do., Mary Kerin, do.

MICHAELMAS SITTINGS FOR TRIALS BY JURY.—In Court 6, at conclusion of the Probate Non-Jury—Williams v. Williams (matrimonial, specially fixed. Notice to Jurors—All jurors, Special and Common, summoned to the Michaelmas Sittings for Trials by Jury, on Monday next, November 15th, are required to attend at 11 o'clock, at the Law Courts, Dublin Castle, on that day, when the respective panels will be called over; and all jurors not answering their names when called will be fined, and will, after the termination of the sittings, be summoned again as jurors to whatever Court may first require their attendance. (39 and 40 Vic., Chap. 78, Sec. 4, Sub-Sec. 1.)—By Order.

Before the Master, at 11 o'clock. Exparte Motions On Notice. Summary Summons—Wilson v. Wilson.

In Court 4.—At 2 o'clock. Summary Summons—Welshe v. Grace. Motions on Notice—Flavin v. Kennedy and ors.; Lefroy v. Doyle; Kingston v. Driscoll; Lewis v. Barnes; Tully v. Gaffney and anor. In Court No. 2. For Thursday, 18th November. Adjourned Summons—Swifte v. O'Brien.

THE EXAMINER'S OFFICE.—Mr. Ellerker—Robert Galvin's Charity, sign cert.; Smith v. Byrne, sign cert.; City Life Assurance v. Sheerin; O'Sullivan v. Lyons; Hessler v. M'Carthy; Hibernian Bank, Ltd., v. Hegarty; London General Insurance Co., Ltd., v. Flynn; Ralph v. Sutton; Lloyd v. Lloyd; O'Sullivan v. Lyons. Mr. Healy (Room 61), at 11 o'clock—MacMahon v. MacMahon, sign cert.; C. J. Malone, decd., Malone v. Malone, sign cert.; Gribbin v. Leonard; Leahy v. Queen's Theatre (Dublin), Ltd.; Bank of Ireland v. O'Donoghue; F. Conway, decd., Reilly v. Flannery; J. Nolan, decd., Nolan v. Long; Northern Banking Co., Ltd., v. Higgins; P. Kelly, decd., Sampson v. Kelly; J. Simpson, decd., Allen v. Townsend; Maughan's Trusts, Crookshank v. Darcus; City of Dublin Steam Packet Co., Mr. Cruise—Barron v. The Attorney-General, vouch; Walters v. Fahy, vouch; Flanagan v. Gray, vouch.

CONSOLIDATED TAXING OFFICE.—Master Kilbride, at 11 o'clock. Exparte Taxations—O'Driscoll v. Shorten, J. H. Powell; National Bank, Ltd., v. Healy, P. C. Furlong; Twomey v. Hannon, W. F. O'Connor; Ward v. O'Malley, A. V. G. Thornton; Shaw, decd., A. Steen; Smith v. Leavy, A. Steen; same, M. J. Crotty. Master Denning, at 11 o'clock—Toole v. Toole, Wm. Mooney and Son; Murray to Dixon, J. H. Dixon; The North Cork County Board of Health to O'Connor, O'Connor and Dudley; Leix County Council to Turpin, H. Turpin. Master Macnamara, at 11 o'clock—Irish Land Commission v. Flannery, James Lynch; Hanlon, decd., Dobbyn and M'Coy.

BANKRUPTCY.—Before the Registrar, at 11 o'clock—Arranget., vch. ac., W. Smyth and Son; Balfe, do., Porter, Morris and Co.; arrangt., ac. comp., J. H. Montgomery; Higgins, prove debts and vch., W. Smyth and Son; M'Gann, vch. ac., W. G. Armstrong; Hanley, do., D. and T. Fitzgerald; Reamsbottom, prove debts and vch., Thompson and Edwards; arrangt., ac. comp., M. J. O'Farrell.

IRISH LAND COMMISSION.—At Examiner's Chambers, at 93 Merrion square. Before Mr. Jeffrey White, at 3.15 o'clock—John Loughead (S. 2516), settle schedule. At 3.30 o'clock—Thomas F. Bushe (E.C. 4725), vouch. At 4 o'clock—F. W. Welsby and ors. (E.C. 6918 and 8380), vouch. Before Mr. Longfield, at 11 o'clock—V. J. Hussey Walsh and ors. (S. 196), settle schedule. Before Mr. Leet, at 3 o'clock—Charles Nugent Humble (S. 793), discharge rulings.

AN CHUIRT BHREITHIUNAIS CHUARDA (Circuit Court of Justice).—Before the Circuit Judge, at 11 o'clock. Workmen's Compensation Act, 1906—Patrick Allen, applicant, R. and J. Dempster, Ltd., respondents, with the Medical Assessor. Local Government (Ireland) Act, 1898. Applications for Compensation for Malicious Injury—Francis G. H. Moore, applicant; George A. Newsom, applct. Damage to Property Act, 1923. Applications for Compensation for Malicious Injury. Applicants—Thomas Brennan; D. L. Ramsay; Minnie J. O'Driscoll; John Brownlie; P. J. O'Malley; Joseph Malone; Elizabeth M'Dowall; Josephine Moran; Trustees, Fowler Hall; Bernard Taylor; Margaret Fagan; Mather, Bolger; Wm. M'Grane; L. J. O'Neill. Ejectments—Verschoyle v. Roberts.

BEFORE MR. JUSTICE O'BYRNE.—At the Courthouse, Green street, at 10 o'clock. Central Criminal Court—Criminal Cases (continued).

During a terrific storm early yesterday thunderbolts struck a house on the outskirts of Exeter.



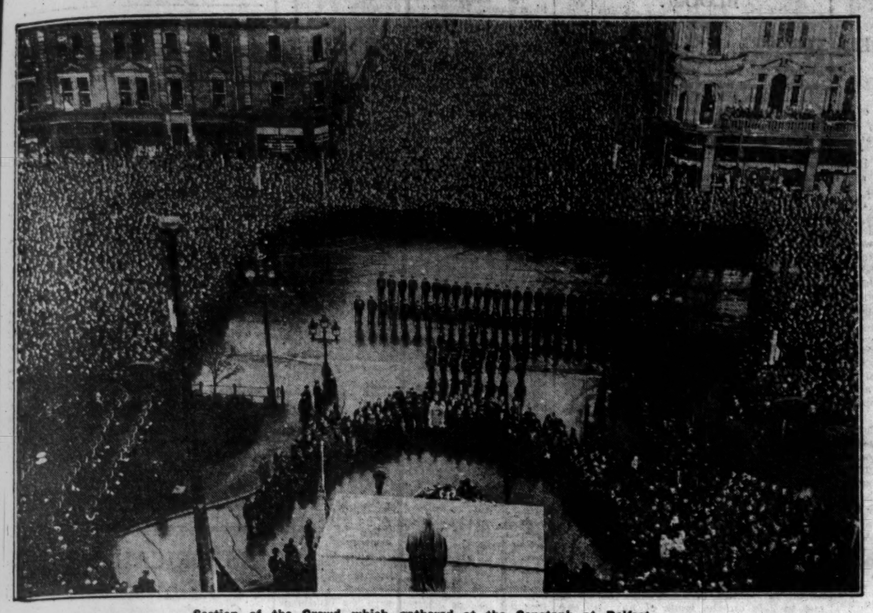


The Lord Mayor



The Scene

REMEMBRANCE DAY IN BELFAST AND CORK.



Section of the Crowd which gathered at the Cenotaph at Belfast.



Lady Kathleen Hamilton, with Mr. H. M. Pollock and Miss P. Cowan, laid a Wreath on the Cenotaph from the Overseas League.



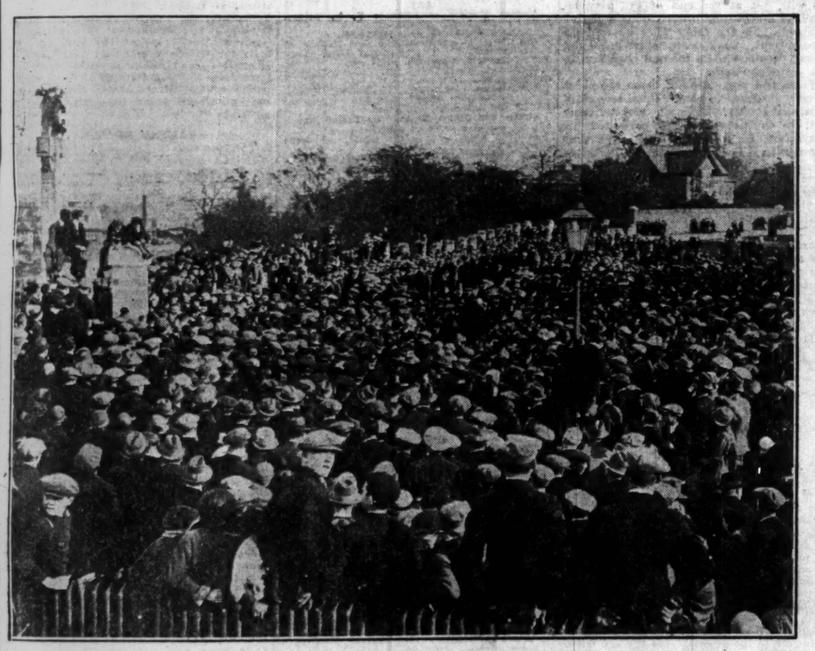
The Lord Mayor placing the Citizens' Wreath.



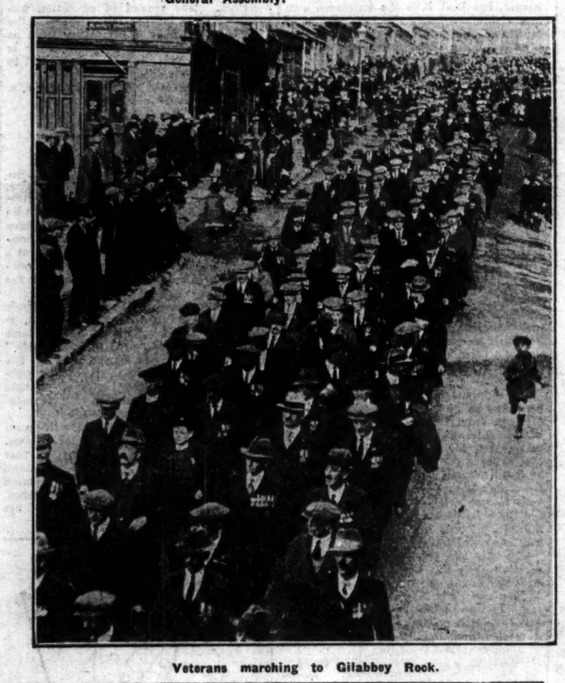
Major H. Lefroy placed a Wreath on behalf of the Southern ex-Service Men.



The platform party at Belfast includes Sir Crawford McCullagh, the Bishop of Down, Sir W. Coates, Colonel McClintock, Major-General Ready, Sir T. Dixon, the Lord Mayor, and the Moderator of the General Assembly.



The Scene at Gilabbey Rock, where the ex-Service Men of Cork celebrated Remembrance Day.



Veterans marching to Gilabbey Rock.

THE CHURCH OF IRELAND.

A MISSIONARY CONVENTION.

(COMMUNICATED.)

Ten months ago the Call of the World was sounded in the ears of the Church of England by the presentation to a great convention at Westminster of reports compiled by four commissions appointed by the Missionary Council of the General Assembly of that Church. These four reports deal with the spiritual needs of four great areas of the non-Christian world—namely, Africa, India, the Far East, and Moslem lands—and the commissions to which the work was entrusted were well equipped for their task with thorough knowledge, deep enthusiasm and wise sympathy. The convention to which these reports were presented was a wonderful experience for the delegates who attended it from all the dioceses of the Church of England, together with representatives of the Churches of Scotland and Wales and Ireland. It has already borne fruit in a considerable awakening of interest and deepening of the sense of responsibility for the foreign missionary work of the Church in every part of the Church of England.

In the Church of Ireland, too, the echoes of the World Call have been heard in many places with eager interest, and the reports of the four commissions have been read and studied by not a few. At the coming St. Andrewstide the Call of the World will be definitely presented to the Church of Ireland at a missionary convention which will be held in Dublin on Tuesday and Wednesday, November 30th and December 1st. The messengers who will present it are the Bishop of Salisbury, the Chairman of the Missionary Council of the General Assembly of the Church of England and one of the most inspiring personalities at the great convention at Westminster last January; and the Rev. Dr. Garfield Williams, O.B.E., who has also done a great work in sounding the Call convincingly throughout England. Delegates are being nominated to the convention in Dublin from all the dioceses in Ireland.

There will be a great Service of Missionary Intercession in St. Patrick's Cathedral on the evening of St. Andrew's Day, Tuesday, November 30th, at 8 p.m., at which the Bishop of Salisbury will be the preacher. On Wednesday, the 1st December, there will be a celebration of the Holy Communion, with missionary intercession, at 10.30 a.m. in Christ Church Cathedral, followed by a conference of delegates, at which, it is hoped, the Bishop of Salisbury will speak, and the Archbishop of Dublin and the Bishop of Cork will take part, in the Synod Hall at 11.45 a.m.; and there will be a public meeting in the Diocesan Hall, Upper Baggot street, on the same afternoon at 3 o'clock, at which the chair will be taken by the Primate, and the speakers will be the Bishop of Salisbury and Dr. Garfield Williams. Seats will be reserved for delegates both at the Service in St. Patrick's and at the public meeting until fifteen minutes before the appointed hour, after which all the unoccupied seats will be open to all who attend.

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YESTERDAY'S CASES IN THE COURTS.

INSURANCE COMPANY'S POLICIES.

CASE FOR THE DEFENCE CONTINUED.

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE MEREDITH.)

The hearing was resumed of the action in which the Irish National Assurance Co., Ltd., seek an injunction against George W. Rudd and others restraining them from, as alleged, interfering with the business of the plaintiffs. The defendants denied the allegations made against them.

Mr. Dickie, K.C.; Mr. Martin Maguire, K.C.; and Mr. Gavan Duffy (instructed by Messrs. James O'Connor and Co.) appeared for the plaintiffs; Mr. Overend, K.C., and Mr. T. P. McCarthy (instructed by Messrs. Hayes and Sons) for the defendants, Michael Griffin and John Doyle; and Mr. Jellett, K.C.; Mr. Fitzgerald, K.C., and Mr. Henry (instructed by Mr. H. J. W. Downey) for George W. Rudd, Frank V. Plowman, and William McCarthy, trustees of the City of Dublin Assurance Collecting Society.

Michael Griffin, one of the defendants, was examined by Mr. McCarthy, and told how he entered the employment of the plaintiff company in 1923 and the arrangements he had made for buying "debits" of the company. In July, 1924, there were rumours about the auditor's report for the year ending 1923. The report was discussed by the agents, who, at a special meeting on August 14th, 1924, passed a resolution that, if the services of two officials were retained, the agents would be compelled to consider their positions with a view to protecting their own interests as well as those of the policyholders. To that they received no acknowledgment from the Board. On the 28th August he got a letter informing him that Superintendent Ryan (who had spoken at the special meeting of the agents) had been suspended for insubordination, and instructing him to hand his books and cash to Mr. English, who would act as superintendent of his division.

In sympathy with Mr. Ryan, witness refused to do any more collections. He then got a letter stating that, unless the instructions were carried out, he would be dismissed. He handed in his cash, but still held on to his accounts.

Witness went on to speak of his appointment by the City of Dublin Assurance Collecting Society, and said that he went to his policyholders and explained the reason of his dismissal by the Irish National Assurance Company, stating that he could transfer their business to the City of Dublin Assurance Collecting Society. He added that when he was appointed by the City of Dublin Company he was instructed by the managing director that he was not wrongfully to transfer any business.

Cross-examined by Mr. Maguire, witness said that he thought he was entitled to transfer customers of the Irish National Company to the City of Dublin Company because he had purchased the business of agents of the Irish National Company.

Witness, in further reply to Mr. Maguire, said that the agents had consultations regarding employment, and met in Mr. Ryan's house, which was over the offices of the Irish National Company.

Questioned about canvassing for policyholders, witness said that he was out to do his best to get transfers.

Mr. Maguire—If your ultimatum had been agreed to, and if McAuliffe and Burke had been dismissed, you were prepared to carry on in the Irish National Assurance Company?—Yes, for the time being.

Although it was an insolvent company, according to you? No; the object of that was that if these officials were left in the company we had no guarantee the same thing would not occur again.

Was the company at that time insolvent? No; I did not say it was.

Was it on the verge of bankruptcy?—No; I did not say it was.

Was there any immediate danger of people who had paid premiums into it losing their money?—No; no immediate danger.

And if statements to that effect were made they would be untrue?—I would say they would be untrue.

And they would be false and misleading statements?—They would be untrue.

Did you make a statement to Mary Murphy that the company was on the verge of bankruptcy and was breaking up?—There was no such statement made by me.

Mr. Justice Meredith—Or by anybody else in your hearing?—No.

Mr. Maguire—The policy-holders were in tears when you told them you were dismissed and you tried to console them. Do you think it mattered one farthing to one of those 1,500 policy-holders, or all of them put together, whether you were dismissed or not?—It might not matter whether I was dismissed or not, but it might matter to tell them what I was dismissed for.

Can you tell me, out of the 1,500 policy-holders on your list how many did you transfer to the City of Dublin Company?—About one-third.

Witness said that on leaving the City of Dublin Company to better his position he sold his debit for £50. A good deal of it had been National Assurance Company business.

The further hearing was adjourned until this morning.

SALE OF SUGAR.

BALLINA MAN'S ACTION.

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE SULLIVAN.)

The non-jury case was heard in which William J. Nolan, of Ballina and Sligo, sued James E. Mitchell (trading as M. Gillespie and Co.), of Ballina, to recover £391 alleged to be due as money received by the defendant for the use of the plaintiff, of which £276 was the price of three tons of sugar which the defendant alleged he purchased from Messrs. J. C. Frith and Co., of Chatham street, Dublin, in the years 1919 and 1920, the balance, £115, being in respect of one ton of sugar which the defendant alleged he purchased subsequently from the same firm.

The plaintiff contended that he had no dealings with Frith and Co., but that he dealt with the defendant as principal. The defendant's case was that it was a joint transaction between him and the plaintiff with Frith and Co., who, it was stated, absconded with £782, being the full amount paid them by both parties.

Mr. Justice Sullivan disallowed the plaintiff's claim in respect of the £276 transaction, but held that there was a sale of one ton of sugar at £115, and gave judgment for that amount, allowing the plaintiff half costs. His lordship commented on the conflict of evidence in the case, stating that he accepted the evidence of the defendant as to what had occurred.

Mr. Fetherstonhaugh, K.C., Mr. Carson, K.C., and Mr. C. A. Maguire (instructed by Messrs. Ganly and Huggard) appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. Leonard, K.C., Mr. Shannon, K.C., and Mr. Lavery (instructed by Messrs. Rutledge and Corr) for the defendant.

THE LYNHAM v. BUTLER APPEAL.

JUDGMENT RESERVED.

(BEFORE THE CHIEF JUSTICE, MR. JUSTICE FITZGIBBON, AND MR. JUSTICE JOHNSTON.)

The arguments were concluded and judgment was reserved in the appeal brought by the defendant in the case of Francis Lynham, 27 Londonbridge road, Dublin, against the Rev. M. Butler, P.P., Roundwood, County Wicklow.

[The case was reported in the *Irish Times* of yesterday and Wednesday.]

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BROADCASTING.

TO-DAY.

DUBLIN (2RN)—397 Metres.

7.30—Talk, "Old Irish Silver," Claire Cooke. 7.45—Hawaiian Stories (Colum); Maire Garvey. 8.0—Station Orchestra, A Night on the Bare Mountains (Moussorgsky), Pictures at an Exhibition (Moussorgsky), Ukranian Suite (Rubinstein). 9.0—Tyrone Quartette, Messrs. Tyrell, Brennan, Rooney and Nolan—"Oh! Native Music" (Goodman), "A Catastrophe" (Sprague), "Need I say how much I love thee" (Robinson), "Deep in Canadian Woods" (Woodman). 9.15—Piano solos, Victor Love—Nocturne in B (Victor Love), Rigoletto (Verdi Liszt), Chant d'Amour (Stojowski), Rondo from Sonato No. 1 (Weber). 9.35—Tyrone Quartette—"Off in the Stilly Night" (V. O'Brien), "Won't you be my Jim?" (Dove), "Shandon Bells" (Goodman), "The Battle Eve" (Bonheur). 9.50—Brahms Interpretations (1st of series). Sonata in G for piano and violin: Terry O'Connor and Kitty O'Doherty. 10.15—Station Orchestra, Strauss and Gungl. 10.30—Weather forecast and close down.

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BELFAST (2BE)—440 Metres.

3.30—London Programme. 4.45—Gramophone Records. 5.0—Topics. 5.15—Children. 6.0—From London. 9.0—Concert by the Belfast Philharmonic Society (relayed from the Ulster Hall). The Society's Orchestra of 70 performers, conducted by E. Godfrey Brown. Symphony in C (Jupiter) (Mozart). Olga Haley: Bohemian Love Song (Carmen) with Orchestra (Bizet); Chant Indou (Sadko) (Rimsky-Korsakoff); Silver, (Armstrong Gibbs); Fair House of Joy (Quilter). Wood-Wind Quartet: Harry Dyson (flute), Weber Fawcett (oboe), E. J. Harris (clarinet), W. S. Bates (bassoon). Scherzo and Fugue from Quartet, Op. 93 (Goepfart). Winifred Brady: Dresina; Study for "Tristan and Isolde" (Wagner); Soothing Spells (Le Nozze di Figaro) (Mozart); Down by the Salley Gardens and I Will Walk with My Love (Irish Country Songs, arr. H. Hughes). 10.0-11.30—From London.

LONDON (2LO)—365 Metres.

1.0-2.0—Time; Music. 3.30—M. Stéphan, "Elementary French." 3.45—Concert for School-Children. Valentine Orde (violoncello), George W. Anderson (clarinet), Joan Singleton (pianoforte), Brahms (1833-1897). 4.45—Ballad Concert. Frances Barnard (violoncello), Beryl Boolman (contralto), Hilda Deuerich (pianoforte). 5.15—Children. 6.0—One Hour of British Music and Community Singing (from the Prince of Wales' Playhouse, Lewisham); Frank Westfield's Orchestra; a Vocal Octet, and the Theatre Audience. 7.0—Big Ben, Weather, and News; Mr. Percy Scholes, the B.B.C. Music Critic. 7.30—"The Yellow Jacket," a Chinese play, by George C. Hazelton and Benrimo; music by William Frost. 8.55—Solomon with the Wireless Symphony Orchestra. 9.30—Mr. Ashley Sterne (of the Passing Show). 9.45—Schubert: "The Maid of the Mill," interpreted by Steuart Wilson. 10.0—Time, Weather and News. 10.15—"I Pagliacci," Opera in two acts. Music and Text by Leoncavallo. Canio (Pagliaccio in the play), Parry Jones; Nedda (Columbine in the play), Anita Desmond; Tonio (the Clown in the play), Harold Williams; Beppo (Harlequin in the play), John Armstrong; Silvio (a villazer—Nedda's lover), Herbert Simmonds; the Wireless Chorus and Symphony Orchestra. 11.30-12.0—Dance Music by Hal Swain and his New Princes' Canadians and Alfredo and his Band.

DAVENTRY (5XX)—1,600 Metres.

10.30 a.m.—Time and Weather. 11.0—The Radio Quartet and Helen Davidson (soprano), Bruce Anderson (baritone), Cecil Rayner (pianist). 12.30—Organ Recital by R. Walker-Robson. 1.0-2.0. 3.20-10.10—From London. 10.10—Shipping Forecast. 10.15-12.0—From London.

BIRMINGHAM (5IT)—479 Metres.

3.45—Broadcast to Schools: Lecture 14, Mr. F. J. Clifford, "Music—the Raw Material." 4.15—Orchestra. 4.45—F. M. Griffiths, "Great-Grandmother's Story Books." Daisy Neal (contralto). 5.15—Children. 6.0-11.30—From London.

BOURNEMOUTH (6BM)—386 Metres.

3.45—Margaret Saunders: A Short Story, "A True Believer." 4.0—Orchestra. 5.15—Children. 6.0—The Wireless Orchestra. Grace Ivell and Vivian Worth (duettists). 7.0-11.30—From London.

HOW I CURED MY RHEUMATISM.

SOME GOOD ADVICE BY C. S. TURNER, FORMERLY OF THE R.A.M.C.

Like stomach, liver or kidney disorders, and, in fact, most other bodily ills, rheumatism results simply from accumulations of impurities in the system. Call these germs, microbes, bacilli, toxins, uric acid or anything you like, but they are all impurities and form the primary cause of organic disease. I used to think the only way to stop rheumatic pain was to drug the nerves and vital organs into partial insensibility by taking opiates and narcotic drugs, or rubbing on liniments. But I know better than to recommend such purely temporary expedients now. Instead, take a level teaspoonful of refined *Aikia Saltrates* in water every second morning, before breakfast, and notice how quickly it dissolves and permanently clears out of your system all disease-causing impurities and painful uric acid deposits or sharp crystals in stiff joints and sore muscles. There is nothing better to cleanse and regulate a torpid liver or to flush out clogged kidneys. You can get some of this inexpensive, standard compound from any chemist, and I have personally proved that it cures even the most severe case of rheumatism within a few days.—C. S. T.



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CARDIFF (5WA)—353 Metres.

3.20—London Programme. 3.45—Popular Melodies. The Station Orchestra; Josephine Prettejohn (contralto). 4.45—Topics. 5.0—Orchestra. 5.15—Children. 6.0—Capt. C. H. Brewer, M.C., "Aviation—The Development of Airships." 6.15-11.30—From London.

MANCHESTER (2ZY)—378 Metres.

1.15-2.0—Pianoforte Trio. 3.25—Broadcast to Schools. 3.45—Ernest Auty (tenor); Station Quartet. 5.15—Children. 6.0—From London. 7.30—Concert by the prize-winners of the Blackpool Musical Festival, 1926. 8.55-11.30—From London.

NEWCASTLE (5NO)—404 Metres.

3.0-3.30—Broadcast to Schools: Mr. T. Russell Goddard, F.L.S., "Animals Injurious to Man" (2). 4.15—Music. 5.15—Children. 6.0—Irene Browne and Helen Thorpe (piano duets). Joy Ditchburn (soprano). 7.0-11.30—From London.

LIVERPOOL (6LV)—331 Metres.

3.15-3.45—Broadcast to Schools: Mr. Geoffrey Paget, "Bacteria and Industry." 4.0—Orchestra. 5.0—H. C. Pearson: Readings from the Poets. 5.15—Children. 6.0—Pianoforte Quartet. 6.30-11.30—From London.

GLASGOW (5SC)—422 Metres.

11.30-12.30—Gramophone Records. 3.20—Broadcast to Schools: Mr. Hugh G. Brennan, "Russian Legendary Heroes." M. Albert le Grip: "French Prix de Rome." Musical Item to Schools. 3.55—Wireless Quartet and Joan Grant (soprano). 5.0—Agnes Millar, Miniature Lecture Recital: "Bach." 5.15—Children. 6.0-6.2—Weather Forecast for Farmers. 6.15—From London. 7.30—Popular Songs: Peggy M'Ivor, Edith Brase, Bert Gunn, William Davidson; the Station Orchestra. 9.30-11.30—From London.

Serious bush fires in northern New South Wales are again causing great damage, says Reuter.

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Mr. Joseph Cooney, Kilbeggan, writes:—"A double-barrel gun taken from my residence at Kilbeggan on New Year's Night, 1920—almost seven years ago—has been recovered by the Civic Guard within twenty-four hours of the time the matter was placed in their hands. This, I think, constitutes a record. All hope of ever recovering the gun had long ago been abandoned. It is high testimony to the efficiency of the Civic Guard."

Books of the Week.

THE MEMORABLE VOYAGE OF THE SAOIRSE

MR. CONOR O'BRIEN has given the title "Across Three Oceans" to his account of the voyages of the 22-ton yacht Saoirse during the years 1923-25. Every reader must have heard of that famous little ship. Most of our readers will remember the articles descriptive of the early stages of her voyage which appeared from time to time in the *Irish Times*, in which Mr. Conor O'Brien gave his impressions of the passage to Pernambuco *via* Madeira, and then across the Southern Atlantic to Capetown.

After Capetown the news that came from the Saoirse was intermittent. From Capetown she sailed to Port Natal; from there to Melbourne, her skipper making a good passage across the Southern Indian Ocean, one of the danger zones of his trip. From Melbourne she proceeded to New Zealand, and she cleared from Auckland to cross the Southern Pacific and make the Falklands, going outside Cape Horn. She rested there awhile, and then sailed up the South American coast, giving the land a wide offing till Pernambuco was reached again. She cleared for home, and, after a short break at the Azores, passed the Fastnet at 8 a.m. one fine morning, and was again in Irish waters. A few days later she was off the Wicklow coast, and on July 20th, 1925, she was at home again in Dublin Bay—one day short of two years out from the date of her departure.

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How simple it is on paper to record all this journeying! Read "Across Three Oceans" to understand the other side to the Odyssey. First of all, picture the little ship. The Saoirse is an example of "handsome is as handsome does." She is picturesque, but was designed for service rather than show. Built at Baltimore, Co. Cork, to replace her owner's good old Kelpie (lost on the western coast of Scotland) and intended for deep-sea cruising, she conforms in hull to the fishing type rather than the yacht proper. Try to imagine what her measurements represent. These are: Length over all 42 feet, water line 37½ feet, beam 12 feet, normal draft 6½ feet, rig a ketch. By yacht measurement she is 22 tons; by builders or, let us say, commercial measurement, about half that amount—and this was the little ship which made the voyages which brought her owner around the world.

The author does acquit himself well in his task. He has "the gift," as the saying has it. How is it that sailormen as a class seem to possess it much more than landsmen? There is—should we say there was?—only one Conrad; but how many inarticulate Conrads (with the pen, of course) there are whose yarns would make such capital reading! It is a way of the sea, perhaps, that when you do possess the facility you can tell your story well, simply and convincingly, with an eye to the human fancy for colour, strangeness and for the greatness of unrestrained, unconscious nature. Mr. O'Brien's, for example, is an admirable pen picture of one side, and that the lonely side of sea life, and surely his book will have a place in the literature of such voyagings.

When the reader follows the fortune of this little ship in Mr. Conor O'Brien's account of her voyage, he appreciates the truth that the seas and the oceans do not present the real difficulties of such a venture, but that it is the unforseen contingencies of everyday life that offer most resistance. Let him but have a knowledge of seafaring, a stout heart and a stout craft under him, and where cannot he go over the oceans? If he is not tied to time, and, therefore, can choose his season, the world is an oyster to be opened—with but a little luck. Without luck, if he is caught out in storm or hurricane, then he must trust to Heaven and a stout heart. The Saoirse was wonderfully fortunate.

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It is the manning question which is most difficult of all to overcome. Life on a small craft is naturally much confined. It offers inducement only to a few. The most happy mariner that ever was, the famous Captain Slocum, was such because he could start out single-handed. The ability to undergo such ordeal, mental and physical, is given to few men. In Captain Slocum's case he paid the price; on his last voyage he set out and never returned. No, built as we are, the aid and stimulation of a crew, some one or two or three, to break the monotony of the life, is necessary.

Mr. Conor O'Brien was not happy in the crews he shipped. The two he started out with from Dublin Bay, in June, 1923, left the ship at Capetown. He had a difficult search for substitutes before he was free to leave for Melbourne. There again he found himself in like plight, and it was the same after reaching New Zealand. A visit to the Friendly Islands repaid him, for there he picked up Kioa, the Tongan native, who was his hand and friend on the homeward passage.

One way and the other the author had much worry; but also he had much joy, and, best of all, the knowledge that he had accomplished his task despite its difficulties. It was something worth doing, well worth describing, and it has given us now a most interesting, picturesque narrative of a memorable adventure.

"Across Three Oceans: The Colonial Voyage of the Saoirse." By Conor O'Brien. London: Arnold and Co. 16/- net.

A JESTER'S TALE.

FROM earliest days, even before he knew what a theatre was, Leslie Henson's dramatic tendencies led him to turn the kitchen into a stage, with the family for an audience. Later, after giving solid business a "try-out," he got his chance, and was sent to a dancing and dramatic academy. Thenceforward his fight for fame was hard and the climb stiff. He tells us that the facing of an audience on a first night made him feel a shakiness and nervousness which he has never effectively conquered. With thankfulness he records the fact that during the eleven years from 1915 he has had only eleven first nights. This speaks for itself.

The war came soon after his name had been firmly established as a coming "star." In the winter of 1914 he went to America on tour in "To-night's the Night," which had made a big hit in London. The author has many amusing stories to tell of his experiences there. "We know," he says, "that hustle, bustle and brevity are the keynotes of American business and home life. Which is just why, over there, they call a lift an 'elevator,' a blouse a 'shirt-waist,' a tube a 'subway system,' all for brevity, as you observe. Likewise a car is an 'automobile'; boots are known as 'tall shoes,' while a tram—bless it—is a 'trolley car.' And if a man is talking to you, he does not start by saying 'Now,' as we should. He ejaculates, 'See here, young feller,' or, 'I'll tell the world,' or 'Now, let me tell you.' Oh, yes, everything is much shorter over there. They've reduced the thing to a very fine art."

In conjunction with his life story Leslie Henson has written a book of short stories entitled, "Well, Well, Well." Those who have seen and heard him on the stage will recognise these stories as his in style, flippancy and wit.

"My Laugh Story." By Leslie Henson. London: Hodder and Stoughton. 10/6 net.
"Well, Well, Well." By Leslie Henson. London: Hutchinson. 3/6 net.

A choir of eight men from St. George's Chapel Royal, Windsor, and twelve boys from Westminster Abbey, are to visit Canada early next year as guests of the National Council of Education.

"A HUNDRED WONDERFUL YEARS."

MRS. C. S. PEEL'S review of a century of the world's everyday life, from palace to cottage, brings into sharp contrast the conditions of to-day with those of a hundred years ago. The illustrations of the pastimes of society some generations back are to the modern eye suggestive rather of dress parades of a leisurely fashion. So hampered are the ladies with voluminous dress material that anything in the nature of activity would seem an impossibility. The exigencies of the moment give an added interest to occasional statements touching the lavish ways of the great houses as to the amount of coal used. A ton a day is the amount cited in one case.

In the beginning of the book Mrs. Peel writes of many talks she had with people of advanced years who could tell from their knowledge of the daily course of life in the days when no one could get about faster than a horse could travel. Modern life for these very early Victorians must seem a lurid nightmare. How must a woman who was never allowed to leave the house unattended regard the freedom of action and thought allowed to this generation, or taken without question? Family life was something more than a phrase. An anecdote in which a servant figures who had the habit of announcing family prayers to the head of the household in the words "Prayers are on the table, sir," has more than its apparent significance. Parents expected their children to give them a considerable amount more of their company than it would be any use for them to demand now. Prayers, meals, games, all that make up the day's routine, were shared. Separate interests for every member of the little circle would have been frowned down, if any one had been so ill-advised as to think of such a thing.

The two main changes noted, from which arises the totally changed aspect of our present daily life, are the revolution in transit and communication and the change from an uneducated to an educated populace. The spread of education has shown even the lowliest that a share of the world's good things is meant for them as well as for others; that the labourer is worthy of his hire, and of enough of it to allow for a little enjoyment as well.

"A Hundred Wonderful Years." By Mrs. C. S. Peel. London: Lane. 16/- net.

SOME GIFT BOOKS.

VISITORS to the Abbey Theatre, Dublin, know the highly characteristic art of Miss Norah McGuinness, who designed scenery for certain imaginative plays. Miss McGuinness has done decorations in line for a new edition of Sterne's "Sentimental Journey," and her drawings have the sprightly brilliance of the text.

The sumptuous edition of Voltaire's tales, published at the Bodley Head, is illustrated by Henry Keen in the same fashion as "The Twilight of the Gods" and "The Picture of Dorian Grey." The volume is uniform with the same publishers' edition of the works of Anatole France. The tales selected for translation do not include "Candide."

Uniform with the splendid edition of "Tom Jones," published last year, Messrs. Harrap and Co. give us this year "Tristram Shandy." Mr. Rowland Wheelwright supplies sixteen fine coloured illustrations in a homely, old-fashioned, realistic style. Only 1,000 copies are offered to the British market.



"LOOK, LUCY, AT THE OMNIBUS."—The first omnibus was run on the Paddington road in 1829. This silhouette, reproduced in "A Hundred Wonderful Years" (The Bodley Head), reviewed on this page, conveys an image of juvenile costumes of the time.



"THEY ORDER THESE THINGS BETTER IN FRANCE."—An illustration (reduced) from the edition of Sterne's "Sentimental Journey," decorated by Miss Norah McGuinness, published by Messrs. Macmillan, and reviewed on this page.

Mr. Philip Guedalla contributes a useful introduction to "Vivian Grey," the first volume of the Bradenham Edition of Disraeli's novels. The binding is of superb black linen, stamped in gold, and the printing is well done on art paper with rough edges.

Mr. Donald Maxwell is not at his very best in his illustrations to selected verses from Kipling, but he does catch the romance of Sussex as seen by the poet's eye—the famous old Cinque port now far inland, the big steamers passing the headlands, the orchards and blue forest shadows between the hills, and all the quiet places that Puck loved. Mr. Kipling contributes a new poem to the book—

On the Downs, in the Weald, on the Marshes,
I heard the Old Gods say:
"Here come Very Many People:
We must go away. . . . . "

"A Sentimental Journey." Decorations by Norah McGuinness. London: Macmillan. 10/6 net.
"Zadig and Other Romances." Illustrated by Henry Keen. London: Lane. 16/- net.
"Tristram Shandy." London: Harrap. 25/- net.
"Vivian Grey." London: Peter Davies.
"Sea and Sussex." From Rudyard Kipling's Verse. Illustrated by Donald Maxwell. London: Macmillan. 15/- net.

MOATE HORSE SHOW TO BE REVIVED.

Moate Horse Show, which for a number of years had been allowed to lapse, is to be revived next year. It was a very important fixture in the Midlands, and a committee is now arranging to restore its former greatness. It has been provisionally decided to hold the fixture next September.

"SONGS OF SLIEVE BLOOM."

READERS of the *Irish Times* are familiar with the verse of Mrs. Dorothy M. Large, and will welcome the charming selection published by the Talbot Press. Here are twenty-six little pieces, droll, picturesque, wistful in turn—most of them in dialect. The poet loves the country and the people of the country with a sympathy that seldom verges upon mere sentiment. A kindly sense of humour salts the verse.

We all know the town of Ballykealy, even if we never visited the slopes of Slieve Bloom.

The Ballykealy people take an interest in each other.
Sure there's very little happens that your neighbour doesn't knew;
And if Paddy Phelan's sister speaks to Mary Murphy's brother,
We make up our minds at once that to the wedding we will go;
'Faith, at jumping to conclusions we are anything but slow
In Ballykealy.

The poet goes on to tell how the news goes round when Bridie buys a pair of boots or Molly a hat; how the Major's attacks of gout are reported, and how no doubt lingers regarding what the bottles held before Daly's gardener put them on the wall. Most of our writers would be content to leave this amusing satire on rural gossip at that—but this poet sees more deeply into the heart of the folk to be content with a bitter conclusion.

Aye, we know each other's business, and we seldom mind our own,
But when sickness comes or sorrow, we have someone at our back;
Sure 'tis different from the city where they'd let you die alone;
For at kindly helping hands down here, you'll never know the lack,
And 'twill always be the same I think, till Doom begins to crack
In Ballykealy.

The little poem, "Caged," tells how school has opened, and how now there's no one to ride on the loads of hay, no one to fish for the darting trout or leap the streams on the purple bog; how the nuts and the bramble berries hang heavily; for the children are at school—"the restless, sun-kissed" feet are caged. "The Flittin'" reports some old soul's regret, when the family is moving to a fine new cottage, out of sight of the old familiar trees and the hedge under which the children used to play. "Bogey Men" contrasts children's fears of imaginary horrors with the ceaseless frets that besiege the heart of men: "There's far more bogies going now than used to long ago." The poem, "Christmas Eve," touches a note of mysticism.

Thus, in these poems, we are brought near to the beauty, the pathos, the charm of simple life in the Irish countryside, and we are made to recall cottages that once we knew, now crumbled mud, and fine, old, wrinkled faces, now mixed with the dust; the summer sunshine on curly heads, and the twinkle of little bare feet upon the road to school. We wish that Mrs. Large would translate these images of the countryside from which the years have torn us into some racy story in prose.

"Songs of Slieve Bloom." By Dorothy M. Large. Dublin: Talbot Press. 1/- net.

NEW "ABBEY" PLAYS.

THE two plays now published by Mr. Lennox Robinson were produced last year in the Abbey Theatre. It is fitting that they should be published in the same volume; for they are alike, yet different: one is really the converse of the other. In one play we are shown the strong-minded man, surrounded by a crowd of weaker people whom he forces to follow his will, yet at the end of the play he displays a somewhat incongruous touch of weakness. In the other play we find an unambitious, weak man, surrounded by strong people, who in the end goad him to one act of strength.

These two plays are not, from the point of view of dramatic power, equal to certain others that Mr. Robinson has written; but, in so far as he has portrayed his characters, each is excellent. One does not find in his work that in the second or third act of a play half of the characters seem to have changed their personalities—they do not become quite illogical and give forth opinions in Act 3 that they never could have held in Act 1. It should be said, too, that in each of these plays the characters who do not matter seriously so far as the plot or the play is concerned are extremely well done and are made quite important. Dickens did that always. "Martin Chuzzlewit" would be a poorer book without Mrs. Gamp. "Portrait" is enhanced by Mr. and Mrs. Barnado—and "The White Blackbird"—by Mrs. Waynoe.

"The White Blackbird: Portrait." By Lennox Robinson. Dublin: Talbot Press.

"A PENSIONER'S GARDEN."

LORD Darling has collected some of the essays and verse he contributed to various journals in recent years, under the title of "A Pensioner's Garden." The whimsical bent of his mind is seen to advantage, and, in tracing the history of variations in legal costume, or speaking inconsequently of pigeons at Monte Carlo, his pages are rich in mellow and scholarly wit. In a Wellsian vision of the future he imagines England when "even Henry IX. was a memory and "Columbians" and "Osmali" are slaying each other in millions on the shores of the Caspian. Some of his prose papers may be "caviare to the general," but few can fail to appreciate the swing of such verse as this dream of an ideal hunt:

"At one time a stag we seem chasing;
Coupled tufters make music forlorn;
While the Whips glow in green of the Beaufort,
And the field flaunt the pink of the Quorn."

"A Pensioner's Garden." By Lord Darling. London: Hodder and Stoughton. 10/6 net.

LATEST FICTION.

GEORGE BIRMINGHAM'S SMUGGLING TALE.

THE glorious series of comic novels with which George Birmingham has delighted our generation resembles the comedies played by a repertory theatre. The same players appear again and again in new "make-up." In "The Search Party," the matter-of-fact, determined young woman to whom the Doctor was engaged was an Englishwoman; later she turned up in "The Grand Duchess" in the title *rôle*, and played an abbess's part in the sequel. Now, in "The Smuggler's Cave"—one of the best pieces of sustained fooling in the whole repertoire—she is a rector's wife in the South of England. The gentleman who plays the bored aristocrat, formerly an Irish landlord with a title, now is an ex-Minister of the Crown. Mary Ellen has changed her nationality, and is a harum-scarum servant at the rectory, and innocent old Thomas O'Flaherty Pat has got into a clerical collar and is the rector himself. As for the Reverend J. J. Meldon, infinitely resourceful in casuistry, he now is a retired butler, running a public-house and a scheme for growing rich quickly.

The tale abounds in the old audacities, the inconsequence, the absurd situations, which George Birmingham seems able to produce inexhaustibly. It is a story of a smuggling pageant, organised at the rectory while the timid rector remains locked in the church; of the "booming" of the pageant by a delicious manipulation of the Press; of the capture of the bishop, the Prime Minister and the Excise man to give respectability to the proceedings, and of the dreadful scandal that so narrowly was averted. Over all there is an air of real romance—we enjoy the mystery of the smugglers' cave as if it had been written for boys—and the only disappointment is the treatment of the villain of the tale, a most engaging ruffian, who ought not to have crumpled up at the end. We shall not soon forget the cookery of the rector's wife. She promised scrambled eggs, because that was how the eggs usually reached the table. If things went well and an omelette was produced, that was luck; but she never counted on it, and so never raised fallacious hopes.

"The Smuggler's Cave." By George A. Birmingham. Hodder and Stoughton. 7/6 net.

"Nigger Heaven" is an exceptional novel, which is sure to arouse excited discussion. In it Mr. Carl Van Vechten has attempted to give a detached and impartial study of life in New York negro quarters. His attentions is concentrated more particularly on the "New Negro"—the educated, cultured and well-to-do negro, whose social life, with some very few exceptions, is startlingly like our own. The negro of this type thinks and talks seriously and well, and the casual dialogue reveals a vast range of views on the burning question of colour. It would be difficult to determine Mr. Carl Van Vechten's own attitude. It certainly is not that of the average American; but neither is it that of a champion of a down-trodden race. It probably is quite as complex and contradictory as that of the average Britisher, who cannot reconcile his general theories on tolerance and equality with his instinctive repulsion and mistrust of the black man. Miscegenation and its fruits arouse our distaste the most, and Mr. Van Vechten faces this aspect of the question as fearlessly as he has faced simpler ones. The sex passages in this book may be distasteful to many, but they are not obscenely handled, and the author has given us an understandable study of the negro from every conceivable aspect.

"Nigger Heaven." By Carl Van Vechten. Kropf. 7/6 net.

It is a pity that in "Our Wiser Sons" Mr. Ralph Straus has driven home his moral with such obvious force, for it gives an otherwise slender and graceful story a wooden, mechanical air. Oswald Unit horrifies his father, on completing university life and a grand "tour" by deciding to take up literature and art, instead of entering the family business. He settles down in a Chelsea which is more akin to the Bohemia of pre-war fiction than the Chelsea of London, S.W.; sows his wild oats more or less genteelly, and eventually finds that his vocation lies in other directions. He soon settles down as a capable business man. His father, however, now has become infected with the Bohemian atmosphere, and it is here that Mr. Straus spoils the story. Mr. Unit, senior, is made to fall a prey to every "urge" or "fad" that he condemned in his son, and his son is as unsympathetic and intolerant as his father was with him. The parallel is worked out with such mathematical precision that the human element is completely lost.

"Our Wiser Sons." By Ralph Straus. Selwyn and Blount. 7/6 net.

"The Fourteen Thumbs of St. Peter" is a partly realistic, partly ironical account of life in Moscow during that period of the Russian revolution, and preceding Lenin's death, when the Atheism of the Communist Party was waging aggressive war on religion. The book reads like an account of first-hand impressions rather than a novel, but the story, such as it is, deals with the rivalries and activities of the various British and American relief missions, and with the sensation-seekers, curiosity-mongers, and looters, who thronged the city at this time. Mrs. Nankivell's irony makes the reader smile from time to time, but her picture is depressing in its realism, and unsatisfactory in its form.

"The Fourteen Thumbs of St. Peter." By Joyce Nankivell. Murray. 7/6 net.

Cynthia Stockley in Rhodesia always is worthy of note, and the two little novels that comprise her latest book are in her best vein. In "Three Farms" tragedy closely touches the life of a young wife, lonely, and temporarily estranged from a breezy husband, who is not sufficiently subtle to probe the feminine mind. The second tale "The Dice of God," in an atmosphere of fraud, jealousy, and violence, unfolds a charming love story.

"Three Farms." By Cynthia Stockley. Hutchinson. 7/6 net.

PUBLICATIONS RECEIVED.

ART.

Modern Masters of Etching: F. L. Griggs. London: *The Studio*. 5/- net.

BIOGRAPHY AND HISTORY.

The Diaries of a Duchess (the First Duchess of Northumberland). Edited by James Greig. London: Hodder and Stoughton. 18/- net.

Encounters. By E. Iffor Evans. London: Hodder and Stoughton. 10/6 net.

Demosthenes. By Georges Clemenceau. Translated by Charles Miner Thompson. London: Hodder and Stoughton. 10/6 net.

Straws and Prayer Books. By James Branch Cabell. London: Lane. 7/6 net.

Scotland Yard. By George Dilnot. London: Bles. 16/- net.

The Fifth Estate: Thirty Years of Golf. By Jerome D. Travers and James R. Crowell. London: Knopf. 10/6 net.

Gossip About Dr. Johnson and Others. Chapters from the Memoirs of Miss Laetitia Matilda Hawkins. London: Nash and Grayson. 12/6 net.

The Memoirs of Carlo Goldoni (1700-1793). London: Knopf. 10/6 net.

The Passing Show. By Henry Russell. London: Thornton Butterworth. 18/- net.

FICTION.

Perth Smuggler. By Edmund Vale. **A Baltic Mystery.** By F. Sidney Webber. Nelson. 7/6 net each.

Europe at Love. By Paul Morand. Knopf. 7/6 net.

Beyond the Frontier. By Randall Parrish. **A Daughter of Twenty.** By John North. Jarrolds. 7/6 net each.

Dust in the Wind. By C. A. Nicholson. Holden. 7/6 net.

The Two Desires. By May Edginton. **The Wooing of a Witch.** By Curtis Yorke. **A Cornish Droll.** By Edwin Phillpotts. **The Mystery of Jenifer.** By Netta Syrett. Hutchinson. 7/6 net apiece.

Galahad. By John Erskine. Nash and Grayson. 7/6 net.

Sab of the Percivals. By John Stevenson. Wells, Gardner. 3/6 net.

JUVENILE.

The Tale of Samuel Whiskers. By Beatrix Potter. London: Warne. 1/6 net.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Lucullus: The Food of the Future. By Olga Hartley and Mrs. C. F. Leyel. London: Kegan Paul. 2/6 net.

The Judges and the Judged. By Charles Kingston. London: Lane. 12/6 net.

Books in Bottles: The Curious in Literature. By W. G. Clifford. London: Bles. 5/- net.

The Largest Ships in the World. By V. S. Fellowes Wilson. London: Crosby Lockwood. 10/6 net.

More Letters from Heaven. By Winifred Graham. London: Hutchinson. 4/6 net.

On Writing and Writers. By Sir Walter Raleigh. Being Extracts from his Notebooks. Edited by George Gordon. London: Arnold. 6/- net.

The Dying Peasant. By J. W. Robertson-Scott. London: Williams and Norgate. 10/6 net.

Leaves of Hellas. By Marshall MacGregor. London: Arnold. 12/6 net.

How to Dress. By Lady Angela Forbes. London: Thornton Butterworth. 3/6 net.

POETRY AND DRAMA.

The House of Three Windows. By Eva Gore-Booth. Introduction by Evelyn Underhill. London: Longmans, Green. 3/6 net.

A Life and Death of Judas Iscariot. By Frank Kendon. London: Lane. 6/- net.

RELIGION AND PHILOSOPHY.

The Baddiley Bible. Arranged by W. L. Courtney. London: Chapman and Hall. 15/- net.

Bases of Belief. By the Rev. F. X. Brors, S.J. Trichinopoly: Indian Catholic Truth Society.

TRAVEL.

The Middle East. By Major E. W. Polson Newman. London: Bles. 25/- net.

A Romantic in Spain. By Théophile Gautier. Translated by Catherine Alison Phillips. London: Knopf. 10/6 net.

Suomi: The Land of the Finns. By A. Maccallum Scott. London: Thornton Butterworth. 7/6 net.

A Winter in Paradise. By Alan Parsons. London: Philpot. 7/6 net.

GRADING OF MILK ADVOCATED.

SUGGESTED PENALTIES.

At last Wednesday's meeting of the Committee on Milk Supply, in the Government Buildings, Dublin, Professor J. W. Bigger, M.D., D.P.H., strongly urged the grading of milk. He suggested three grades in addition to pasteurised milk, the highest class being from tuberculin tested cows. There was at present no incentive to the milk producer to supply pure milk, as the price charged was the same as that paid for impure milk. He estimated that five hundred deaths in the Free State in the year 1924 were due to contaminated milk. He thought that penalties should be imposed on those milk producers who sold milk below a specified standard, and that, if the practice was persisted in, the penalty should be exclusion from the milk trade.

MILK-BORNE TUBERCULOSIS.

Dr. J. D. McCormack, Medical Inspector, Department of Local Government and Public Health, stated that there was not sufficient supervision over milk at the source, but that the apathy of local authorities in regard to the administration of the Dairies Order was mainly due to want of knowledge. With the exception of two small outbreaks in an urban district, the area under his charge had been free from milk-borne epidemics during the past nine years. He advocated the grading of milk according to its bacterial content and the fixing of a maximum price for milk according to grade. He favoured the distribution of milk in bottle.

Dr. J. Boyd-Barrett, Medical Inspector, Department of Local Government and Public Health, dealt with the mortality from and incidence of milk-borne tuberculosis; infected milk as a cause of human tuberculosis; the prevalence of bovine tuberculosis and suggested remedies for eradicating it.

The Committee adjourned until next Wednesday.

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AGE OF ADVERTISING.

VALUE OF STREET TRADERS' ASSOCIATIONS.

The age of advertising in which they lived made it impossible for any one trader to corner more than his due share of the business that was going on unless slack methods and slack service by his competitors assisted him, said Sir Thomas Robinson, in the course of an address on "Street Advertising" at yesterday's meeting of the Dublin Publicity Club, in Clery's Restaurant, Dublin.

So far as he knew, Regent street and Bond street, in London, and Fifth avenue, New York, were the first to undertake this work. Grafton street, Dublin, was first in Ireland. Grafton street was not the last, but the first, for it was over thirty years since a committee of Grafton street traders was formed for the improvement of the essential public services of the street, such as lighting and cleansing and the control of street signs.

HEALTHY RIVALRY.

The first step to take in the formation of a street association was to bring the traders together and secure an interchange of views. This alone was most valuable, as it tended to better understanding of mutual problems and difficulties. The petty jealousies of older times had given place to healthy rivalry. Therefore, the meeting together helped the smaller man without doing an injustice to the big man. High ethical standards must be observed, and merchandise must be exactly as described in advertisements.

Sir Thomas added that he believed other streets in Dublin were going to follow the example of Grafton street. The decoration of that street at Christmas time last year gave the greatest possible pleasure to the public and completed satisfaction to the members of the Association, which was formed a year ago. It resulted in "record" business. The Association had been met with great courtesy and co-operation by the Commissioners of Dublin Corporation and their officials.

THE NELSON PILLAR.

Dr. Lombard Murphy, Vice-President of the club, proposing a vote of thanks to Sir Thomas, said that an association representing O'Connell street, Henry street and North Earl street would be of great use in securing the contemplated removal of the Nelson Pillar. The people who had invested the capital in these streets did so with the knowledge of things as they were, and the views ought to be consulted before the Pillar was removed. (Hear, hear.)

Mr. Owen Jones (Messrs. Brown, Thomas and Co.), seconding, said that what was done in Grafton street was well done.

Mr. William Russell, Dundalk, said that the country people regarded the Nelson Pillar as a great landmark, and it would be a great loss if it were removed. (Hear, hear.)

Mr. Young Warren said that the traders in North Earl street and Talbot street were about to form an association.

Mr. Riordan, Mr. Gillespie and Mr. Magill having spoken, the vote of thanks was passed.

IRISH FAIRS.

LURGAN.—The monthly fair was well supplied with stock of all classes, and there was a large attendance of shippers and dealers. A dull demand all over prevailed, and trade was very slack for best quality of cattle. A large number of animals remained unsold. Beef was scarce, and sold from 46/- per cwt.; prime springers sold from £37 to £50; 2nd class, £30 to £35; milch cows, £15 to £18 each; milk cows were plentiful, but slow in demand; first-class quality ranged from £22 to £27 each; 2nd class, £18 to £21; calves, £11 10/- to £16 apiece; well-conditioned animals only were looked for in the store line; 2½ years heifers and bullocks were well down to prices, and ranged from £16 to £18; two years old, £14 to £16; 1½ years old, £11 10/- to £14; yearlings, £7 to £10; young calves, £3 10/- to £5, according to age. A small supply of young live pigs, and prices in this department ranged from 60/- to 75/- each.

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MALAHIDE MURDER MYSTERY.

PATHOLOGIST GIVES EVIDENCE.

CLOSE OF CASE FOR THE PROSECUTION.

The trial was resumed at the Central Criminal Court, Dublin, yesterday, of Henry McCabe, gardener, who is charged with the murder of Peter, Joseph, Annie, and Alice McDonnell, and their servants, James Clarke and Mary McGowan, at Malahide in March last.

The case for the prosecution closed, and the trial was adjourned until 10 o'clock this morning.

TRACES OF ARSENIC.

Mr. Peter O'Toole, analyst in the State Laboratory, who examined the contents of six jars containing portions of the viscera of the six victims, stated that jar No. 1 contained traces of arsenic too small for determination. In jar No. 2 the quantity of arsenic found was too small for estimation. In jar No. 3 (contents of the body of Peter McDonnell) there were 1.2 milligrammes of arsenic. He was of opinion that the arsenic found in that could not have entered the body in normal food, the amount being too large.

To Mr. Carrigan, K.C.—It could a medicinal dose.

Continuing, the witness said that the amount of arsenic in jar No. 4 was too small for estimation. Jar No. 5 contained 3.1 milligrammes of arsenic. In jar No. 6 the amount was too small for determination.

To Mr. Carrigan—The amounts of arsenic found in the bodies could have got there by being medicinally received or by contaminated foods.

Dr. William D. O'Kelly, pathologist, stated that on April 1st, at Malahide, in company with Dr. Groves, he opened four of the bodies. He then described the analyses which he had made of the remains, and said that the four McDonnells and Mary McGowan had taken more arsenic than a doctor would prescribe for them.

NATURE OF THE WOUNDS.

As regards the wounds, he said that James Clarke had a large gaping wound on the scalp, 3½ inches long, 2 inches above the left ear. That wound was caused by direct violence, not self-inflicted, and could be caused by the edge of a tile, the edge of a brick or the back of a hatchet. "I believe," Dr. O'Kelly added, "that that man was felled like an ox." The wound was inflicted before death. Clarke had been dead at least three days when he examined the body on April 1st. It appeared to him that blood had been wiped off the head.

Peter McDonnell had abrasions above the left wrist, on the left cheek, forehead and on top of the scalp. The underlying skull bones were widely fractured. These injuries were all ante-mortem. Peter was dead two days, or possibly longer, but was not as long dead as James Clarke.

The body of Alice McDonnell was extensively charred, and the scalp was largely destroyed. The left ear was burnt off, and the bones of the skull were largely charred. The occipital bone was fissured, but the bone was badly charred, and he could not say whether it was caused by heat or violence. In his opinion, Alice was not alive when the burning took place.

Joseph McDonnell's body was much charred. Behind the left ear different portions of the temporal bones were fractured. Owing to the burning of the skull and the effects of the heat on the brain he could not say whether these injuries were caused before or after death.

Annie McDonnell's body was very badly burned, the lower portions of the legs being apparently burnt away. The greater portion of the top of the skull was missing, the remainder being charred. The stomach, intestines, liver and kidneys were excessively pale, and death might have resulted from hemorrhage or have been followed by it. He believed that she was dead before the burning.

Mary McGowan was the most severely burned of the six corpses. The skull was very much charred, the greater portion of the top being missing. He was also of opinion that she was not burnt alive.

BLOODSTAINS.

The witness then told of his analyses of boots and clothing handed to him by the police. He found human blood on boots, shirts, a blouse, a towel and on a grey stocking. He found human bloodstains on the shirt (produced) which was taken from McCabe's house.

Mrs. Bridget Reilly, who lived in the gate lodge at La Mancha, said that on the Monday afternoon she went to La Mancha with a parcel and could get no reply. McCabe came to the lodge about ten minutes to five, and she asked him what was wrong at the house, and he replied that they were all sick. Witness asked him where was Jim Clarke, and he replied that he was away since Saturday. On Wednesday, March 31st, she asked McCabe was Clarke back yet, and he said: "No; they were uneasy about him up at the house last night."

Thomas McCann stated that on April 2nd he had a conversation with McCabe about the tragedy. Witness asked him what happened or did he think that Joe did it, and the prisoner replied, "Nonsense; not at all." Witness then saw the McDonnell funeral coming along and he said, "I am going to the funeral; are you coming?" and McCabe replied, "No," and walked off in the direction of Malahide.

A STATEMENT.

Guard Hayden stated that at Malahide barrack on April 12th about 10 o'clock he was standing by the fire near McCabe. He asked McCabe how he was, and McCabe replied: "It is all up with me now. I am going to Mountjoy in the morning, and it is all over the pants I have on me. Will you be able to get out and tell my wife to say that I got the pants some time ago in a parcel that the McDonnells sent me, and tell her to keep it quiet."

Thomas Clarke stated that there was no dispute about land between himself and his brother James.

Detective Sergeant Mooney produced copies of the *Irish Times* of 20th and 27th of March last containing advertisements re the proposed sale of La Mancha by private treaty.

This closed the case for the prosecution.

Mr. Lynn asked for a direction, but Mr. Justice O'Byrne refused the application.

PRISONER EXAMINED.

The prisoner was then examined by Mr. Lynn. He stated that he was married and had nine children. He was a gardener at La Mancha. On Saturday, March 27th, about 4 o'clock, Joe McDonnell told him that James Clarke had gone to town, and he asked witness would he wait until the last train came in. Witness said that he would. About 6 o'clock Alice called him into the kitchen, and he had tea. He then milked the cows, fed the calves, and came into the house and sat by the fire reading. Joe McDonnell was there. About 12 o'clock Peter returned. Witness said that he wished Clarke was back, and Peter said that the last train had arrived, and he did not think Clarke was back. He told witness to come to work next morning. He (McCabe) worked on the Sunday morning, had breakfast at the McDonnells, and went to Mass. After dinner he stayed about the place at La Mancha, and got tea from Alice at 6 o'clock.

The prisoner then related his doings on the Monday, and stated that about noon Alice asked him to kill a chicken. He did so, and he saw Alice trying to vomit, as if she were sick.

The Court adjourned, as stated.

NEW POLICE BARRACKS.

Out of the £800,000 voted by the Northern Government for the construction of new police barracks in Northern Ireland, a sum of £12,000 will be spent in Enniskillen, where the front portion of the old prison premises has been chosen as the site for a new barrack, which, it is intended, will hold all the headquarters staff and the town force.

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MORE COAL IN DUBLIN.

PRICES STILL AT A HIGH LEVEL.

Three more cargoes of coal for city merchants reached Dublin yesterday. For those who can afford to pay the high prices at present ruling for fuel the situation has eased considerably. Up to a week ago middle-class people found it hard to secure fuel at any price.

Users of electricity in shops and cinemas have not given serious heed to the request of the City Commissioners for reduced consumption, and shop windows, hanging signs, and cinema fronts were as brilliantly lighted as usual last night.

In view of the shortage of suitable fuel for the Corporation electricity undertaking, citizens would serve their own interests by cutting out the use of all unnecessary lights.

FUEL FOR THE POOR.

LABOUR TRIBUTE TO AID ORGANISATIONS.

At a meeting of the Dublin Workers' Council on Tuesday, Mr. R. Maher, reporting on the County Dublin constituency conference, said that, while he disagreed with the selecting of more than two delegates to contest the County Dublin constituency for eight seats, he had to abide by three candidates. Mr. P. J. Curran, Balbriggan, was elected the third candidate for County Dublin.

Mr. Robbins said that they ought to push forward the idea of local Labour parties and see that they get placed in the next general election.

Reporting on the fuel question, Mr. Robbins referred to the efforts which had been made by the Council, in conjunction with the Irish Transport Union, to provide fuel for the very poor, and said that, from the point of view of keeping down the price of fuel, they had been completely successful.

Alderman T. O'Reilly paid a tribute to different organisations that had helped, and made special mention of the work done by the *Irish Times* Fund.

ARDILAUN LECTURES.

WILLIAM OF ORANGE AND THE ASCENDANCY OF FRANCE.

Principal Grant Robinson, who is delivering a series of lectures on French history at Alexandra College, Dublin, spoke yesterday on the second half of the reign of Louis XIV., dealing principally with the war of the Spanish Succession, 1702-1714.

From 1681 Louis had to reckon with one implacable adversary: William, the Stadtholder of the Netherlands. "William was not an attractive figure: cold, dry, brusque; not a great soldier; an upholder of Protestantism, to whom France was an enemy. He saw in the great spread of French power, talent and splendour down to 1679 a coming domination of French power over Europe, which might prove to be even worse than the great domination of Charles V., which led to the oppression of the Netherlands. French policy he saw as not merely a great military domination, but it stood for a persecuting, intolerant Roman Catholicism, and he was a Calvinist and a Lutheran. The power of Louis, politically hateful, became insupportable when united with a Roman Catholicism as dominating as the political ambitions of the French king.

This ascendency of France was as hateful to William as the gates of hell. When asked why he would not make terms with Louis, how he could resist the militarism of France, he replied that there was one thing they could do if necessary, they could die in the last ditch.

William saw that the only way to compete with France was by coalition. From 1672 onwards to 1679 he was weaving plans, writing, arguing, bringing one power after another into alliance against France. In policy William had one real mark of the great statesman. He knew there must be limits; he had a great strategic sense; he saw with the eye of political genius that the key to the situation was in England, a country with which he had much sympathy. England must be on his side, must be the heart and brain, and, above all, the paymaster of the coalition.

In 1700 Charles died, and the cloud of Spanish Succession arose. Another succession, far more important in the immediate issue, was: who was to succeed the excellent Merry Monarch? Dynastically this interested William enormously; he had married the daughter of the brother who was going to succeed. In 1685 James succeeded. At the same time came the revocation of the Edict of Nantes, which may have been intended to improve the strained relations between Versailles and the Vatican. One result was a great number of pamphlets protesting in almost every European language. Englishmen were watching, and decided they would have no revocation in their country.

After the verdict on the trial of the seven bishops in London word went immediately to William, who was looked to to save English Protestantism and the constitutional principles. The Intelligence Department at Versailles knew this. One adviser wanted Louis to get at the Dutch, and stop William; another suggested going into the Palatinate. Louis said: "Let England go; William and James will keep each other employed."

Almost as soon as William landed in England the young English prince was sent to Saint Germain. By the Declaration of Rights William and Mary became King and Queen.

NO LOCAL SUPPORT.

NEW GOREY LABOUR PARTY DISSOLVED.

The Provisional Committee of the Gorey Labour Party appointed to establish a permanent branch of the organisation in the district has passed a resolution unanimously, dissolving the organisation for want of the necessary support from the tradesmen and workers' in the town and district.

TWO NORTHERN WILLS.

Mr. William Henry Graham Reid, of Glengariff, 36 Ardenlee avenue, Belfast, retired merchant, who died 2nd September last, left personal estate in Great Britain and Northern Ireland valued at £19,948. Probate of the will, dated 8th November, 1910, with a codicil, has been granted to Frederick McKibbin, of 13 Donegall square, West, Belfast, estate agent, and David J. Thompson, of Langside, Earlswood road, Belfast, agent. The testator left

£500 to May Street Presbyterian Church, Belfast, for a "Reid Memorial Fund," the income to be applied to provide an annual trip for members of the choir, any balance to go to the Choir Fund.

£500 to May Street Presbyterian Church, Belfast, for the benefit of the church.

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£500 to the Presbyterian City Mission, Belfast.

£40 each to the trustees of the will, £300 to his wife and the residue of the property in trust for her for life, with remainder to his brothers and sisters and his sister-in-law, Emily Reid, or their children.

Mr. Arthur Donnelly, of Lisieux, Kincora avenue, Belfast, who died on 23rd April last, left personal estate in Great Britain and Northern Ireland valued at £9,442 19s. 11d. Probate of the will, dated 29th September, 1926, has been granted to his son, Arthur F. Donnelly, of 3 Aston Gardens, Belmont Church road, Belfast; Richard Byrne, of 14 Brookvale avenue, Belfast, and Owen Clarke, of 51 Bentinck street, Belfast, and Ernest Kennedy, of Donegall street, Belfast, solicitor. The testator left £500 in trust for his niece, Phœbe, and the putting out of use of machinery which cost his firms £7,000. The consequential loss would be very serious. During the last few years there had been an increasing demand by customers for the supply of goods by lorries. Co. Wexford was very badly served by railways. His firms also found their lorries a decided advantage in their farming work. They did not like to pay high rates, but they considered that if the country was to prosper its roads should be properly made, and if necessary the Government should raise loans for the purpose. They also considered that the money being spent on the roads could be spent to better purpose.

Mr. Heney, Secretary, Free State Commercial Motor Users' Association, examined by Mr. O'Connor, stated that the order sought was looked upon as a most serious one for the whole community, as apart from any business section. There were 1,134 commercial vehicles of over two tons unladen in the Free State. They contributed £30,000 to the revenue of the State. After January 1st next the amount would be about £70,000. The total revenue in the Free State from motor taxation was £540,000, of which commercial motor lorries contributed £105,000. Next year the contribution of commercial vehicles would be £165,000. He gave details to show that the use of motor vehicles had proved a factor in the reduction of railway rates.

Mr. Elgee, solicitor—Is it a fact that your organisation is out to kill the railways?—It is not.

The inquiry closed.

Mr. J. Elgee, solicitor, represented Wexford County Council; Mr. M. J. O'Connor, solicitor (for Messrs. Gerald Byrne and Co.), the Free State Commercial Motor Association and British Petroleum Company; Mr. W. G. Bradley, solicitor, the Royal Automobile Club; Mr. Charles H. Murphy (Secretary), the Automobile Association; and Mr. W. R. Browne, the firms of Messrs. Davis, Ltd., Enniscorthy, and Messrs. Browne and Crosthwaite, Bagenalstown, all of whom served notice of their intention to oppose the application. Messrs. C. Thompson and J. W. Heney, of the Free State Commercial Motor Users' Association, were present.

THE UPKEEP OF WEXFORD ROADS.

COUNCIL'S SWEEPING PROPOSALS.

PROPOSED BAN ON HEAVY MOTOR VEHICLES.

Mr. James Quigley, Chief Engineer (Roads Department), Local Government Department, held an inquiry—the first of the kind in the Free State—at Wexford last Wednesday into an application of the Wexford County Council for an order for the removal of certain vehicles off the roads and the regulation of speed limits.

Mr. W. F. Barry, County Surveyor, said that the solution of the problem was either increased expenditure on the roads or the removal of the lorries. In his opinion, it would take £250,000 to make the roads of the county suitable for modern traffic. This view was supported by Colonel C. M. Gibbon, who considered the estimate a conservative one.

Mr. Barry further stated that he supposed that County Wexford was badly served with railways, and that it would be a serious inconvenience if the motor traffic were removed.

Colonel Gibbon said that the County Council did not want to place an embargo on lorries exceeding four tons, but when a road was out of order to close it to such traffic until it was made to bear it.

Mr. Thomas McCarthy, Chairman of the County Council, considered the application too sweeping, and expressed the opinion that it would react unfavourably upon trade. Any such order should be for the State as a whole.

THE APPLICATION.

SPEED OF HEAVY MOTOR VEHICLES.

The application was for an order under Section 7 (4) of the Roads Act:—

(1) To prohibit, subject to such exceptions or conditions as to occasional user or otherwise, as might be specified in the order, the driving of heavy motor cars, the registered axle weights of which exceeded four tons, on all the roads in the county, excepting portion of the road extending from the county boundary at Bennett's Bridge to its junction with the road leading from Gorey to Wexford, *viâ* Ballycanew and Castlebridge.

(2) An order under the same section and section 40 of the Local Government Act, 1925, prohibiting:—

(a) The driving of heavy motor cars at a speed exceeding three miles per hour on New Ross Bridge;

(b) Motor cars driving at a speed exceeding ten miles per hour on Wexford Bridge; and

(c) Motor cars driving at a speed exceeding fifteen miles per hour on the road from Gorey to Courtown Harbour.

Mr. Bradley at the outset raised a preliminary objection to the form of the advertisement for the inquiry. The application, he said, was an unusual one for any County Council to make, and it was the first of its kind made in the Free State, and his point was that the designation of the roads in respect of which the application was made did not meet the wording of the section.

The Inspector noted Mr. Bradley's objection.

SURVEYOR'S EVIDENCE.

Mr. W. F. Barry, County Surveyor, examined by Mr. Elgee, stated that the roads in County Wexford were in a weak state when he took up duty in 1914. There was very little motor traffic then on the roads, and no heavy motor traffic; but as it increased he noticed the roads cutting up. The expenditure on the roads increased from £26,468 in 1913 to £79,000 in 1924. No work was done on the roads during 1921-1922-1923, owing to the trouble in the country. All the money was provided from the rates, and was exclusive of Government grants. The total mileage of the roads in the county was 1,966, of which 100 miles were classified as trunk roads, to which Government grants were specifically confined. The Wexford-Enniscorthy road in the winter of 1924-25 went to pieces in a few weeks' time, owing to the heavy lorry traffic. Nine-tenths of the damage was due to lorries. In 1914 the expenditure on the road was between £1,300 and £1,400 and in two recent years £13,225 was expended on it. His estimate of £77,431 for the maintenance of the roads this year had been reduced to £56,790 by the County Council. He also gave evidence of damage on secondary roads by lorry traffic.

THE SOLUTION.

Cross-examined by Mr. O'Connor, witness stated that the solution of the problem was either increased expenditure on the roads or the removal of the lorries. If the order was made for the restriction of lorry traffic, it would be disadvantageous to the farming community in the removal of their agricultural produce. In witness's opinion, it would take a quarter of a million pounds to make the roads of the county suitable for modern motor traffic.

Mr. Bradley—Is not the real answer that the County Council and the District Councils did their work so badly in the past that they now have to ask for a quarter of a million pounds to put the roads right?—I do not think it is. He supposed that County Wexford was badly served with railways, and that it would be a serious inconvenience if the motor traffic were removed.

To Mr. Browne—If a sufficient quantity of correct material had been put on the Wexford-Enniscorthy road in the last 10 or 15 years, it would have stood heavy motor traffic.

SPEED OF CARS.

Witness also gave evidence as to the necessity for the restriction of the speed of motor cars on New Ross and Wexford bridges.

Colonel C. M. Gibbon, Vice-Chairman of the County Council, stated that that body sought the order so as to be in a position to prevent heavy traffic on roads which they considered unfit to bear it. The Council did not want to place an embargo on lorries exceeding four tons, but when a road was out of order, to close it to such traffic until it was made to bear it. There were lorries in the county which carried between twelve and fourteen tons each.

Mr. O'Connor—Do you agree with Mr. Barry that to put the 2,000 miles of roads in the county into order, you should expend a quarter of a million?—Personally, I think it is a very conservative estimate.

To Mr. Bradley—It is not necessary actually to close the roads, but it is necessary for us to have the power, because in the case of damage occurring we cannot close them in time to save the damage.

Superintendent O'Neill, Civic Guards, Gorey, gave evidence in support of the application to limit the speed of motor cars between Gorey and Courtown Harbour.

Mr. Thomas McCarthy, Chairman of the County Council, said he was of the view that the application of the Council was too sweeping, and would react unfavourably on trade. Furthermore, he firmly believed that it would be too great a power to place in the hands of any public authority. How, he asked, would they manage lorries coming from outside counties? If any such order were to be made, it should be a uniform one for the State, and not for any particular county.

Mr. M. Doyle, T.D., agreed with the views of Colonel Gibbon as to the necessity for the order.

SERIOUS LOSS.

Mr. Browne, examined, said that if the order were enforced it would mean the removal of nine of their eleven lorries from the roads, the disemployment of from 15 to 18 hands, and the putting out of use of machinery which cost his firms £7,000. The consequential loss would be very serious. During the last few years there had been an increasing demand by customers for the supply of goods by lorries. Co. Wexford was very badly served by railways. His firms also found their lorries a decided advantage in their farming work. They did not like to pay high rates, but they considered that if the country was to prosper its roads should be properly made, and if necessary the Government should raise loans for the purpose. They also considered that the money

CARGO-HANDLING COSTS.

DUBLIN A DEAR PORT FOR SHIPS.

The Dublin Port and Docks Board yesterday had before it the report of the London Mansion House Association on railway and canal traffic for the United Kingdom.

This booklet dealt in detail with port costs, with special reference to the cost of loading and discharging. These costs were described as excessive, and it was suggested that they should be reduced as soon as possible. Costs in Continental ports, the report showed, were much lower than in British ports.

CONTINENTAL PORT COMPETITION.

In the course of a discussion, Mr. Hewat, T.D., said that it was a very important matter as far as they were concerned. There had been a considerable demand for American coal recently, and this question of port costs came up against them over and over again. There was no justification for this, because boats coming from America to Dublin had got better despatch than at any other port around the British Isles. They ought to do everything they could to get rid of that state of affairs as soon as possible. The matter was not in the hands of the Board, but it placed the port in a rather serious position.

Mr. David Barry said that the report, which took two years to compile, would prove to anyone that Dublin could not compete under present conditions in the despatch and loading of ships with Continental ports. Compared with the despatch and loading of steamers in British ports as against Continental the work in British ports took three times as long. They should look to their laurels if they wanted to encourage shipping to the port.

The Chairman said that as regards the port of Dublin it was no exception to learn that ships got a better discharge here than in other ports.

Mr. Byrne said that Dublin was not the dearest port, and for that reason, as he had often advocated, it should be advertised. That would have been a very useful thing to do.

THE DISCHARGE AT DUBLIN.

Mr. Barry said that he did not specifically refer to Dublin, but to the British ports. Dublin was as bad in every respect as regarded the costs of discharge, delay and labour as other ports—it was no better in some cases and much worse in others.

Dublin was a dear port for ships to come to, very dear in labour and very dear on dues. He did not want to blacken Dublin, for it had made vast progress during the last twenty years; but it was not up-to-date and did not give that despatch to ships which would compare favourably with other ports. They would have still further to improve the facilities in their port.

Mr. Field, while agreeing as to the improvements, suggested that a special Committee should be appointed to go into this very important matter.

Mr. Hollwey mentioned that the part discharge of the s.s. Thelma in Belfast cost £53 7s. and in Dublin £29 6s. 6d. The full discharge of the s.s. Grannia in Belfast cost £56 2s. 6d. and in Dublin £52 0s. 8d.

The matter was referred to the Finance Committee to consider.

"OGLAIG NA h-EIREANN."

FOUR QUEENSTOWN MEN AND A WEBLEY REVOLVER.

At a special court at Midleton yesterday afternoon, four men named Kiely, Grayley, Kilty and Doherty, all of Queenstown, were charged with being members of an illegal force known as "Oglaigh na h-Eireann" (Irish Republican Army), and also with being unlawfully in possession of a Webley revolver and fifteen rounds of ammunition.

When charged, it was stated, Kiely and Grayley said that they would make no statement until their case came on. Kilty and Doherty said nothing.

The accused men were remanded to the next Midleton Court on the 18th inst., in bails of £100 and two £50 sureties each, which was forthcoming.

A motor car which is said to have been used by the accused men is being detained by the Guards pending inquiries.

It is alleged that when Guards Mason and Donoghue, on duty just outside the town, called on the driver of the motor car to stop, he refused to do so, and the car went on towards the railway station. Before it reached the level crossing, however, the 7.30 p.m. train to Cork approached, and the car was compelled to return towards the town. Guard Donoghue jumped on the footboard, and when the car stopped the four men were taken into custody.

Later, at the termination of a concert in the local cinema, the hall was surrounded, and some thirty men were brought to the barracks, but afterwards released.

OBITUARY.

MR. J. NICHOLSON PIM.

The death is announced, at Ogle's Grove, Hillsborough, County Down, on Wednesday last, of Mr. J. Nicholson Pim. The second son of the late Mr. Joshua Pim, of Lisnagarvey, Mr. J. Nicholson Pim had been engaged in the linen industry for many years. He had been connected with Messrs. Richardson, Sons, and Owden's Glenmore Bleachworks, but retired some time ago. Mr. Pim was fond of sport, and in his youth was an enthusiastic cricketer.

MR. FRANCIS G. M'KEEVER.

Mr. Francis G. McKeever, LL.B., solicitor, of Bettystown House, Laytown, died on last Wednesday night, after a short illness. Mr. McKeever was admitted a solicitor in the year 1899, after a distinguished career in Trinity College, Dublin, where he graduated with a Gold Medal in Logics and Ethics. Since his admission he practised his profession in Drogheda, where he built up a large and extensive business, and earned the respect and esteem of the general public and of his professional colleagues, with whom he was universally popular. Mr. McKeever was a Select Vestryman of St. Mary's Church, Drogheda, and was a prominent member of the Synod, being foremost in the advancement of the recent reforms which led to the relief of many clergymen on whom the economic circumstances of the times had weighed so heavily. Mr. McKeever leaves a widow and two daughters, one of whom is married to Mr. Kenneth Dockrell, K.C. His son, Mr. Thomas S. McKeever, is a solicitor, and will carry on his father's business at Drogheda.

TROOPS FOR ENNISKILLEN.

Despite the fact that the War Office held out no hope to the deputation from Fermanagh that the Enniskillen military barracks would be again occupied by British troops, our Enniskillen correspondent says that he has authority for stating that two companies of the Royal Irish Rifles, home from the Rhine, will be sent to Enniskillen early in the new year, and will occupy the main barracks.

NORTHERN MOTOR BILL.

SENATORS' VIEWS ON PILLION RIDING.

DANGER FROM "DAZZLE" LIGHTS.

In the Northern Ireland Senate yesterday, when Viscount Charlemont moved the second reading of the Motor Vehicles Bill, the view was expressed that nothing could be done that would inflict a greater hardship on the working people than the prevention of pillion riding. The absence from the bill of any provision which would lessen the danger from "dazzle" lights was also alluded to, Senator Cunningham remarking that he was convinced that a great many accidents were due to this cause.

A YEAR'S ACCIDENTS.

Viscount Charlemont said that the object of the bill was to improve the traffic conditions in Northern Ireland, and to reduce the number of accidents due to motor vehicles. He pointed out that the matter had remained unchanged since 1903, although, in the meantime, there had been a great increase in the number of motor vehicles licensed. In 1921 there were 13,350 licensed motor vehicles in Northern Ireand. Now there were approximately thirty thousand.

It had been ascertained that there were 1,300 accidents in Northern Ireland due, directly or indirectly, to motor vehicles during the twelve months ending June 30th last. These involved the death of 59 persons and the serious injury of 759 others.

MIMIMUM FINES.

Senator Long said that it had been stated that the bill was promoted at the instigation of the railway companies, but that was not correct. The Road Advisory Committee, of which he was a member, had been engaged during the last winter on the details and principles of the bill. The railways were not represented. With regard to the imposition of minimum fines, he pointed out that during the year ending July last there were 574 convictions for exceeding the speed limit in Northern Ireland. In 25 of these cases the Petty Sessions Court inflicted fines of 1s. In 150 cases there were fines of 5s., and in 150 cases fines ranging from 5s. to 10s. In cases of this nature, in which life was endangered, these fines were not sufficient, and this was ample justification for introducing minimum penalties in the bill.

The two main objects of the bill were to clean off the roads drunken and reckless motorists, and also to clean off the roads all vehicles not fit to carry passengers in a reasonable degree of safety. He was satisfied that the bill allows these two objects.

PILLION RIDING.

Senator Joseph Cunningham regretted the absence from the bill of any provision which would lessen the danger from dazzle lights. He was convinced that a great many accidents were due to this cause. The Home Secretary was against pillion riding, but he evidently did not appreciate the great pleasure which hundreds of young men and women enjoyed by motor cycling and pillion riding. Nothing could be done that would inflict a greater hardship on the working people than the prevention of pillion riding. The absence from the bill of any provision which would lessen the danger from "dazzle" lights was also alluded to, Senator Cunningham remarking that he was convinced that a great many accidents were due to this cause.

Senator Leslie said that it was proposed to abolish pillion riding by a regulation made under an Act thirty years old. He was not so sure that there was power under that Act to prevent pillion riding, for there were no motor cycles thirty years ago, and no pillions, and no flappers. At all events, they were not called by that name. He supported the proposal in the bill to have photographs on all drivers' licences. It was proposed to fine the owners of motor 'buses for permitting overcrowding, but there was nothing in the bill to enable cases to be brought against those who forced their way into a 'bus and overcrowded it. This, he thought, should be remedied.

DAZZLE LIGHTS.

Viscount Charlemont, in reply, said that no effective anti-dazzle headlight had yet been evolved, but the Ministry could have power to make the use of such a device compulsory when it was put on the market. He admitted that the abolition of the pillion would be a severe hardship on the people who were limited to motor cycles, but they desired to ensure the safety of those who indulged in pillion riding, as well as motor cyclists and motorists generally.

Senator Cunningham asked if the carrying of a child in front of the handle bars on the motor and ordinary cycles would also be prohibited.

Viscount Charlemont—That is almost more dangerous than pillion riding. The whole matter is under consideration at the present time, and he could not say at the moment whether this or pillion riding would be prohibited or not.

HORSE BREEDING BILL.

In the Committee stage of the Horse Breeding Bill, Senator Leslie moved an amendment to remove the minimum penalty of £2 for keeping an unlicensed stallion, and substituting the words, "not exceeding £50."

Senator Hill Dickson opposed the amendment. He said that it would be necessary to have a minimum penalty, otherwise the Act would be ineffective.

Viscount Massereene said that the Government could not accept the amendment. Fines of five shillings were imposed by the magistrates, and the minimum penalty was designed to preclude the imposition of fines of this nature.

Senator Leslie withdrew his amendments.

Look after the complaints and the compliments will take care of themselves.—Mr. Joseph Lucas.

IRISH MAILS DELAY.

MINISTER ACTS ON LIMERICK PROTEST.

Relative to a complaint of the Limerick Chamber of Commerce as to delay in the delivery of the Irish mid-day mails when the cross-Channel mails missed the connection at Kingsbridge, the Minister of Posts and Telegraphs has now written, stating that in future the Irish mail would be delivered at mid-day, irrespective of other circumstances.

LIMERICK AND SUNDAY PICTURES.

Limerick Corporation Public Health Committee had under consideration on Wednesday night the application of the City Exhibitors' Association to have their cinema licences extended to Sundays, a deputation pointing out that this had been done in certain other centres.

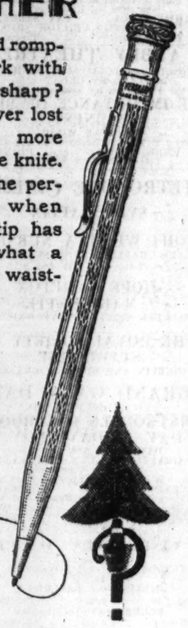
The application was opposed by the city Catholic clergy, one of whom, Father O'Dwyer, P.P., St. Munchin's, stated that in 1909 the Corporation gave an undertaking to the late Most Rev. Dr. O'Dwyer not to grant licences for Sunday cinema performances.

Further consideration of the matter was adjourned.



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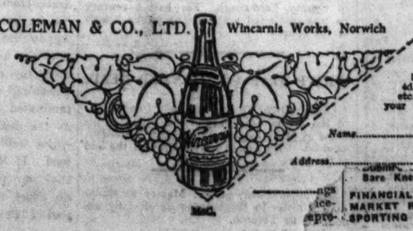
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THE EVENT OF THE SEASON.
TO-NIGHT (FRIDAY)—CLERY'S BALLROOM.
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LEGAL NOTICES.

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All persons having claims or demands against the estate of the above, who died on the 28th day of October, 1926, are hereby required forthwith to furnish full particulars, in writing, to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executrix.
Dated this 8th day of November, 1926.
HUNTER and BURLAND, Solicitors, 11 Dame street, Dublin.

IN THE GOODS OF
PATRICK M. CUSACK, late of Seaville, Howth, County Dublin, and 40 Watling street, Dublin, Wine and Spirit Merchant, Deceased.
All persons having claims against the Estate of the above Deceased are requested to send particulars thereof to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executrix.
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(3) Baritone Songs ...... Adelaide ...... Beethoven.
(4) Overture .... No. 1 Leonore ...... Beethoven.
(5) Overture ...... To an Irish Comedy ...... Ansell.
(6) Symphonic Poem .. The Sorceror's Apprentice. .... Dukas.
(7) Baritone Songs .. (a) Benediction .. Tschaikowsky. (b) Onaway, Awake! Beloved. .... Cowan.
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E. H. BAILEY, Secretary.
Port and Docks Board Office, Dublin,
11th November, 1926.

REGISTRATION OF CLUBS (IRELAND) ACT, 1904, and Intoxicating Liquors (General) Act, 1924. I hereby give Notice that I intend to apply for a Renewal of the Certificate of Registration of the Stephen's Green Club, Dublin.—12th November, 1926. F. M. SELLENS, Secretary.

REGISTRATION OF CLUBS (IRELAND) ACT, 1904, and Intoxicating Liquors (General) Act, 1924. I hereby give Notice that I intend to apply for a Renewal of the Certificate of Registration of the Royal Irish Yacht Club, Kingstown.—12th November, 1926. F. M. SELLENS, Secretary.

I, CHARLES SCOTT,
OF IVANHOE, ESPLANADE, BRAY,
MEMBER OF THE IRISH TURF ACCOUNTANTS' PROTECTION ASSOCIATION,
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Hereby Give Notice of my intention of making an application for a Certificate of Suitability of Premises situate at
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MR. JOHN MAGUIRE, J.P.

The death has occurred of Mr. John Maguire, J.P., one of the oldest magistrates in County Fermanagh. For half a century he was connected with all the public boards of the county.

WHITE STAR COMMANDER DEAD.

Captain John Davies, formerly Commander of the White Star liner Arabic, died at his home at Waterloo, near Liverpool, yesterday, aged 56. He was to have retired at the end of the year.

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The Irish Times.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 1926.

NEWS SUMMARY.

IRELAND.

Over 40,000 attended the Remembrance Day celebration in Phœnix Park, Dublin, yesterday.—(Page 7.)

An inquiry was held in Wexford into the County Council's application for an order for the removal of certain vehicles off the roads and the regulation of speed limits.—(Page 5.)

Viscount Charlemont moved the second reading of the Motor Vehicles Bill in the Northern Ireland Senate yesterday.—(Page 5.)

Great numbers attended the celebration of Remembrance Day in Belfast yesterday.—(Page 8.)

Sir James Craig, Prime Minister of Northern Ireland, at Newry yesterday, announced that no new licensing legislation will be introduced in the Northern Parliament so long as he is Prime Minister. He also denied recent rumours that he is about to resign office.—(Page 11.)

The Malahide murder trial was continued yesterday, when the case for the prosecution closed.—(Page 5.)

GREAT BRITAIN.

The House of Commons last night completed the report stage of the Electricity Supply Bill.—(Page 6.)

The will of Baroness Strathcona, which has been lodged at Dunoon, shows a total aggregate for duty of £6,687,863. The death duty payable is £2,166,780.—(Page 7.)

ABROAD

Mr. Coolidge made an important speech yesterday on post-war problems.—(Page 7.)

SPORTING.

At Liverpool yesterday Grecian Wave won the Grand Sefton Steeplechase.—(Page 12.)

FINANCIAL

London Stock Markets were generally steady, with business still on a small scale.—(Page 10.)

Lombard street was better supplied with funds, and daily loans went on at 4¼ per cent. down to 4 per cent. and under. Discounts quiet and silver harder.—(Page 10.)

In Dublin Bank Stock rose to 290 and Guinness improved to 60¼.—(Page 10.)

Honour to the Brave.

The eighth anniversary of Armistice Day was observed solemnly throughout the British Empire. Yesterday morning London was, more than ever, the Empire's very heart; for with the King the chief statesmen of all his Dominions stood before the Cenotaph in Whitehall. The world received a notable proof of the new feelings between England and Ireland—in large measure the work of Ireland's fallen soldiers—when Mr. Kevin O'Higgins and Mr. James MacNeill, representing the Free State Government, laid wreaths upon the Cenotaph and upon the tomb of the Unknown Warrior in Westminster Abbey. It must be every good Irishman's hope that the labours of the Imperial Conference will hasten the process of reconciliation and will multiply its fruits. Nowhere save in London—and, in some ways, not even there—can the ceremony have been more inspiring than it was in Dublin. On this occasion the gathering of those who paid honour to the dead was not pent within the limits of a city square. It expanded into the wide area of the Phœnix Park; and for the first time, perhaps, since the end of the war Dublin was able to realise two things fully—the greatness of her own devotion to a great memory, and the numbers and quality of the old fighting men who are serving the Free State now in the tasks of peace. Nine thousand ex-soldiers marched through the streets to the Park, alert and resolute men of whom any country might be proud; and very fittingly was the cross from Guillemont placed within the shadow of the obelisk which records that an Irishman's genius for war saved Europe and Asia more than a hundred years ago. In the men who were honoured yesterday, and in the comrades who honoured them, Wellington's spirit may have hailed the worthy inheritors of a magnificent tradition. At least forty thousand persons shared the sorrow and exaltation of the observance and bowed their heads in the poignant minutes of silence. We may believe that no larger assembly ever has been held in Dublin, and certainly no other has been held that by its order, discipline and piety brought greater credit to the nation's capital. In all its aspects—in the central ceremony of the Park, in the Services of the Churches and in the general demeanour of the citizens—this was the finest and most impressive celebration of Remembrance Day that Ireland has known. Finest of all its features was the reverent temper which never forgot the day's solemn significance. No responsible politician of any party could find in yesterday's proceedings the slightest hint of a taunt or challenge to his views. We must attribute to sheer rowdiness, or to those crude passions which eclipse reason, the disgraceful attempts that were made yesterday to disturb the dignity of Dublin. Happily, this sort of "politics" no longer threatens the country's progress and has become merely a matter for the police. To-day the Free State's Government and the mass of her people acknowledge their debt to the men whose lives were an effective sacrifice on the altar of international good-will.

The Free State's Milk Supply.

It is startling to learn from an expert of the standing of Professor J. W. Bigger that in 1924 five hundred deaths in the Free State were due to contaminated milk. In a country which is "the fruitful mother of flocks and herds," with pastures whose richness moves the envy and admiration of every visitor to our shores, it is a bitter reproach that a single death from this cause should be recorded. Nature has done her share, and more; if we on our part fail to use aright the gifts she has bestowed so lavishly, we are unworthy of our national heritage. The poisoning of an Irish child with contaminated milk ought to be as impossible as the death from starvation of a man whose table is heaped with appetising food. If Mr. Bigger is right in asserting that our present milk supply is unsafe, no effort must be spared to get to the root of the evil. For this reason we attach much importance to the investigations of the committee which the Free State Government has appointed to advise on the sufficiency of the existing provisions dealing with the purity and wholesomeness of the milk supply. If we are to build a first-class people, it cannot be done with a generation exposed to the perils of third-rate milk. The fact that our grandfathers did not trouble about microbes is no proof that microbes did not trouble about them. In any case we are living under conditions very different from those which prevailed even half a century ago, and to reject the benefits of science would be to raise a barrier against progress.

The provision of a safe milk supply is not in Ireland a herculean labour, demanding heroic sacrifices. Nothing more is required than forethought, patience and a determination that slackness and slovenliness, instead of being regarded as minor shortcomings, shall be shown in their true light as crimes against the State. Dr. McCormack, one of the medical inspectors of the Local Government Department, attributes the apathy of local authorities concerning the administration of the Dairies Order to want of knowledge. In the twentieth century such lack of knowledge not merely is a proof of inability to discharge the responsible duties of a popular representative, but reveals a depth of ignorance of the elementary duties of citizenship. Dr. McCormack protested that there was not sufficient supervision of milk at the source. We agree; but we fear that more drastic supervision is required all along the line, from the milker to the vendor, and occasionally to the magistrate who imposes nominal fines for offences that invite stringent penalties. It is questionable if the machinery for the detection of impurities does not also require to be tightened. If bacteriological tests were made the rule, instead of being, as they are now, the exception, it is highly probable that not a little milk which passes muster under the present system of analysis would be condemned out of hand.

The view has been urged strongly before the committee that milk ought to be graded officially, and that the highest class should be that in which the supply is taken from tuberculin-tested cows. If this plan were adopted, the result, as with eggs and butter, would be to raise the standard all round. Conservative as he is to the backbone, the Irish farmer is anything but slow to learn as soon as he realises that, if he fails to profit by instruction, his pocket will suffer. The problem has its complexities, and these have not been lessened by the fact that hitherto, in such attempts as have been made to deal with it by legislative enactment, the tendency has been towards patchwork treatment. The terms of reference of the new committee are sufficiently broad to enable its members to frame recommendations which will go to the root of the matter. Expert opinion, we believe, is fairly agreed upon the steps which are necessary to ensure that the Irish milk supply shall be in future above reproach. To devise administrative measures which will give effect to their conclusions is by no means an impossible feat; and, even if it were more difficult than it is, the health of the new generation demands that no technical difficulties shall hamper the introduction of reforms. There are administrative and political luxuries that are beyond the reach of States whose resources are strictly limited; yet, even if the Free State were poorer than she is, she could not afford to neglect the menace of an annual death-rate of five hundred of her people from contaminated milk.

Aviation and Empire.

Almost every day brings tidings of remarkable developments in aviation. To-day comes the news that a new German air service between Berlin and Moscow is being organised. Giant machines, carrying sixty passengers apiece and flying at a speed up to 125 miles an hour, will begin, in the spring, to fly regularly between the two capitals. From Geneva it is reported that Germany's admission to the League of Nations, by opening the skies to German commercial aviation, has led to the formation of a scheme for a new series of European services, financed by Germany and using Geneva as centre. Budapest, Breslau, Berlin, Hamburg, Amsterdam, Paris and London will be served by direct flights to and from Geneva, which offers, in the still waters of the adjacent lake, an unsurpassable landing-place for hydroplanes. Ultimately, the German aerial companies which have planned this great undertaking hope to thrust regular aerial services from Geneva to South America and the Orient. If aviation is breaking down the dividing walls of Europe and making of the Continent a true geographical unit, in another fashion it is uniting the far-spread territories of the British Empire and assisting in the development of a second great unit. Major Hemming, an expert in aviation, described to the Aeronautical Correspondent of the *Morning Post* a proposal for carrying out an aerial survey of the territories over which the British flag flies, and thus bringing into being a map of the Empire. One vast British colony is about to be explored by air. In Rhodesia an area of no less than 52,000 square miles will be surveyed by aeroplane. It is estimated that 20,000 square miles will be mapped in six months, and the maps will show, beside the nature of the ground, the position of copper deposits and the most suitable sites for roads and railways. The Dominion of Canada already has carried out a substantial measure of aerial survey, and still leads in the thoroughness with which this work is conducted. British Guiana and Nigeria are lands which still are largely unexplored, and, owing to the difficulty of travel by land in these regions, surveying, whenever it is undertaken, certainly will be done from the air. Probably not more than a few years will pass before aerial maps of the whole British Empire will be in existence, and the economic possibilities and archæological wealth of these vast lands will lie before the student's eye in an open book.

Craftswomen.

It is a pity that the Englishwoman Exhibition of Arts and Handicrafts, opened by Mrs. Baldwin at Westminster, cannot be brought to Ireland. Among the exhibits of work by educated craftswomen are embroidery, pottery, jewellery, leather goods, woodwork and fancy garments. Visitors are shown how to spin and weave on little household wheels and table looms. Mrs. Baldwin spoke of the possibilities which handicrafts open up to women workers. She wondered why women's clever fingers were not employed in watchmaking, and recommended enterprising women to start the trade of "treasure tinkers"—skilled menders of admired articles, such as pieces of china, lace and tortoiseshell. The "handyman," like the craftsman, now is far to seek; but women in increasing numbers are turning their hands to working in metals, to the manufacture—in the literal sense of the word—of artistic fabrics, to wood-carving and the decorative arts. In Ireland women craft-workers have done notable things in stained glass, painted wood and silver and copper ware. It is a phenomenon, not peculiar to Ireland, that the new handicrafts that produce objects eagerly sought by connoisseurs rise in cities, while traditional home industries die in the country. Ever fewer farmers' wives gather for spinning parties and carry their yarn to the cottage weaver. For lack of education, perseverance or discipline, the old home-workers fail to keep up with the demands of the market for variety and finish. Educated young women, however, find the pursuit of the old crafts, under modern methods of organisation, highly profitable. The hope for home industries, therefore, lies in a renaissance, which shall transfer their practice from dying tradition to living enterprise. On Tuesday Dr. Grattan Flood described in our columns the highly successful practice of fiddle-making in Dublin a hundred years ago. Foreign students of the crafts have suggested that the Irish temperament, which is cunning of hand and notoriously keen and subtle of ear, well might prove adaptable to the making of musical instruments.

IMPERIAL PARLIAMENT

ELECTRICITY SUPPLY BILL.

REPORT STAGE CONCLUDED.

FROM OUR PARLIAMENTARY CORRESPONDENT.
WESTMINSTER, Thursday.

With the prospect of another dull night on the Electricity Supply Bill, the attendance in the House this evening was not nearly up to the normal, and, as the questions on the Order Paper raised no points of real importance, members had a perfectly reasonable excuse for staying away. Neither the Prime Minister nor his deputy, Mr. Winston Churchill, was in the House, and the few questions addressed to the Premier were answered by the Chief Whip, Commander Eyres Monsell.

The only matter which excited general interest was raised by Captain Foxcroft, who was anxious to know when the Government proposed to alter the law as it affected trade unions. It has been made clear already that the Government have no intention of devoting any of the Parliamentary time between now and Christmas to this subject, and those who have been pressing upon the Prime Minister to take the matter in hand without delay had to be content with the assurance that attention will be given to it next session.

Mr. David Kirkwood, who has been served with summonses under the Emergency Regulations in respect of speeches to miners in Derbyshire, made an ineffectual attempt to raise the question on the floor of the House. The particular point that he desired to raise was not apparent, as he had only got as far as a statement to the effect that he had consulted "legal luminaries," when there were shouts of "Order" from the Ministerial benches, and the Speaker prevented him from going further.

ELEVEN O'CLOCK RULE SUSPENDED.

Although quite good progress has been made with the Electricity Supply Bill on Report, the Government were taking no chances. It is their intention to get the measure through the Commons this week, and in anticipation of dilatory tactics they suspended the eleven o'clock rule, though the obstruction, if any, is more likely to come from a section of their own followers than from the benches opposite.

An hour or so was spent in the discussion of minor amendments, but on Clause 27, which gives power to the Treasury to guarantee loans to the Electricity Board, there was evidence of a very considerable revolt of Conservative members, led by Sir Frederick Wise. As to the merits of the bill itself, the hon. member, not being an electrical expert, was not in a position to speak, but as a financier he strongly protested against the Government guarantee of principal and interest in respect of such a vast sum as 33½ millions. There was, in his opinion, no necessity for the guarantee, which was but one instance of the loose way in which credit was being thrown about. He concluded by moving the omission of the clause, and was supported by Mr. Redford and Major Kindersley from the same side of the House.

Mr. Hardie, from the Labour benches, came to the assistance of the Government. He asserted that the opposition to the scheme was inspired by selfish stockbrokers and pawnbrokers. When the bill was upstairs in Committee they had heard so much about city, city, city, that he felt compelled to quote Scripture, and he would quote it again now—"Woe unto the city that is filled with robbers." (Laughter.)

The Attorney-General, in resisting the amendment, said that the Chancellor of the Exchequer had given the scheme his cordial approval, because he was satisfied that it was in the real interests of the country.

On a division the amendment was rejected by 291 votes to 33, the Labour Party in this instance voting with the Government.

The report stage of the bill was concluded.

MR. KIRKWOOD'S GRIEVANCE.

On the motion for the adjournment, Mr. Kirkwood raised again the question of the banned miners' meetings in Derbyshire on Sunday last, and declared that this was an unwarrantable interference with the traditional right of free speech. He was particularly indignant with the Home Secretary for not being in his place. It was, he said, an insult to him and to the House, and the Home Secretary was not fit to hold his high office.

IMPERIAL CONFERENCE.

MANY COMMITTEES MEET TO-DAY.

FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.
LONDON, Thursday.

Armistice Day was almost a blank day at the Conference. Two Committees—the Committee on Defence and Inter-Imperial Relations, respectively—met this afternoon, but little work was done.

To-morrow, however, the delegates evidently mean to make up for lost time. No fewer than six committees will meet. These will be the Committees on Economics, which will discuss Empire films; on Nationality, which probably will conclude its labours; on Inter-Imperial Relations; on Imperial Communications other than by Air; on Research, and on Overseas Settlement.

Mr. Baldwin is not going to Glasgow, but there will be no plenary meeting of the Conference until next week.

It is still hoped to get everything finished by November 25th, and as considerable progress has been made in a variety of directions this time table is likely to be observed.

On Saturday we are going to Camberley to see a tank display, and next Wednesday the Duke and Duchess of York are giving an afternoon reception at St. James's Palace.

HOSPITAL SUNDAY.

LORD MONCK'S APPEAL.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Fifty-two years have passed since the Dublin Hospital Sunday Fund was founded at a meeting held in January, 1874, under the presidency of the late Earl of Meath. During this period fifty-two collections have been made, resulting in a sum of £218,211 being raised for the hospitals; and, in addition, many improvements in the management and nursing have resulted from the efforts of the committees.

All the hospitals participating are bound under the rules of the Fund to admit and treat the destitute sick poor free of charge. In view of the large numbers who annually benefit in this way I would earnestly appeal to all for their generous support to the collections on Hospital Sunday, November 14th.—Yours, etc.,

MONCK, President,
Dublin Hospital Sunday Fund.
Charleville, Enniskerry, Co. Wicklow,
November 11th, 1926.

COURT AND PERSONAL.

The Queen hopes to attend a performance of the new opera, "Ippolita in the Hills," which will be given at the Chelsea Palace shortly in aid of the National Institute for the Blind. Princess Marie Louise, Lady Louis Mountbatton, the Duchess of Wellington, Robinia Viscountess Mountgarret, Viscountess Tredegar, Lady A. Colville, and Lady Cable are among the patronesses who will be present.

The Prince of Wales will spend the week's end at Craven Lodge, Melton Mowbray, and next Tuesday will attend the exhibition of the King Edward's Hospital Fund film, entitled "A Hundred Years of Progress." It will be shown at the new Gallery Kinema, by the courtesy of the Provincial Cinematograph Theatres, Ltd., and the Gaumont Company, for the benefit of the fund.

The Queen of Spain and Princess Beatrice dined with Earl and Countess Beatty, at 17 Grosvenor square, London, on Wednesday evening. The guests included the Spanish Ambassador and the Marquesa de Merry del Val, the Duchess of Sutherland, the Marchioness Curzon of Kedleston and Miss Duggan, the Earl of Ancaster, and the Earl and Countess of Midleton.

Princess Beatrice opened a successful sale of work in the Royal Horticultural Hall, Westminster, in aid of home and foreign Church work. Among the stall-holders were the Countess of Antrim, Lady Katharine Meade, Lady Constance Erskine, Lady Elinor Denison, Lady Sudeley, Lady Berkeley, Lady Shaw and Clara Lady Vincent.

Prince Arthur of Connaught will preside at the festival dinner in aid of the British Sailors' Society, which will be held on Tuesday, November 30th. A large attendance is expected, and as Lord Inverclyde is generously paying the expenses of the dinner, the ticket money and donations will be given to the fund without deduction.

The Marquis and Marchioness of Lansdowne have arrived in London from Bowood Park. Lady Greville is making a short stay in London, where the latest arrivals include the Earl of Cromer, Lady Seaforth, Lord and Lady Henry Nevill, Edith Lady Auckland and the Hon. Robert Eden, and the Master of Elibank and the Hon. Mrs. Gideon Murray.

Among the passengers on the s.s. Llanstephan Castle, which left Tilbury yesterday for East Africa, were the Hon. Beryl O'Brien, who is Lord and Lady Inchiquin's eldest daughter; Sir George Noble, Lady Northey and Colonel and Mrs. Watkins.

Lord Bellew and Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Hutcheson Poë, who have been cruising in the Mediterranean for the past month, have returned to London.

The marriage arranged between Francis Edward Buller Girling, Lieutenant, the Queen's Royal Regiment, only son of the Rev. F. E. M. and Mrs. Girling, Souldrop Rectory, Sharnbrook, Bedfordshire, and Helen Kathleen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mathews, the Northern Bank, Dublin, will take place quietly on 8th December, 1926, at St. Andrew's Church, Dublin.

The woman of small or average figure is certain to find a Coat that will please her amongst the new collection of inexpensive Fur-trimmed Models just arrived at Switzers, Grafton street. The materials include Suitings, West of England Tweeds, Fancy Velours, etc., in very smart colourings.

Delightful Dance Frocks, Dinner and Afternoon Frocks, absolutely fresh and new. Many lovely models. Warehouse open all day Wednesdays.—W. Holmes, Dublin, Ltd., 69, 70, 71 South Great George's street.

Special Purchase of Continental Frocks direct from manufacturers, from 30 to 50 per cent. less than usual prices, in Artsilk. Marvellous value, styles and shades; 7s. 11d. to 21s. 6d.—W. Holmes, Dublin, Ltd., 69, 70, 71 South Great George's street.

The fashionable Highland Spattee in wool, beautifully woven, nice colours and designs; their neatness and smartness have already displaced the high-legged boot. Call and inspect our new assortment.—Robert and Co., Ltd., Grafton street.

Theatre Dinner from 6 o'clock in New Grill Room of the Royal Hibernian Hotel.

Last two days of the exhibition of the Mac Wonderful Flowers, Plants, and Palms at 3 Stephen's Green. Great crowds have been viewing them with much interest every day.

Wedding ideas at Slyne's this week. See our windows.—Slyne and Co., Ltd., 71 Grafton street.

PASSENGERS ON ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.

Arrivals.—Mr. and Mrs. B. Jackson, the Earl of Belmore, Miss Amy Hungerford, C. W. Gleeson, Miss A. M. Gordon, Victor S. Carter, Mrs. J. D. Anderson, Dr. and Mrs. H. V. O'Donoghue, Dr. and Mrs. J. B. McClancy.

Departures.—Sir Joseph Nunan, Charles C. Dawson, F. Bennett, Miss Freda Bennett, Mrs. Moreton Dodd, Captain and Mrs. L. H. Kitton, Miss A. A. Denver.

Other Arrivals and Departures will be found in "Dublin and the Provinces."

Charming collection of Evening Frocks showing this week at McBirney's.

Furniture Stored in the only Fire-proof Depository in Ireland. Millar and Beatty, Ltd.

Furniture Stored in our dry and airy separate Locked Rooms.—Anderson, Stanford and Ridgeway, Ltd., Grafton street.

Costumes, Fur-trimmed Coats, smart Winter wear. Moderate prices. Mumford, 18 Suffolk st.

New delightful Jumper Suits at 79s. 6d. Many actually 8¼ guinea models. Perfect cut and finish.—Marleen, 114 Stephen's Green.

Pyrex Dishes in Reliable Silverplated frames. Ideal Gifts — lasting — useful. J. Morton, Jeweller, 48 and 49 Nassau st.

Gibson and Co., Ladies' Tailors, Specialists in designing and cutting. All models made on the premises. Inspection invited.—141 Lower Baggot st. Mourning Orders executed on the shortest notice. Prices strictly moderate. 'Phone 4905.—Davis and Co., 45 Grafton street.

WEATHER FORECAST.

General Inference.—The depression recently over Ireland is now north of Scotland, and is filling up while moving further north. Another depression south of Greenland will probably move eastward and renew stormy and unsettled weather over the British Isles, after a temporary improvement.

Ireland. — *Wind westerly, light to moderate, backing to south, and freshening later; mainly fine, but perhaps a few scattered showers, becoming dull to rainy later; visibility moderate to good; temperature rather mild.*

S.W. Seaboard, Mouth of Channel to South-west Ireland. — *Wind westerly, moderate to light; mainly fine, a few scattered showers; visibility good; sea slight.*

Irish Sea and St. George's Channel; N.W. Seaboard, Northern Ireland to Hebrides.—Wind westerly, moderate to fresh, decreasing; occasional showers, bright intervals; visibility good; sea moderate.

Dixon and Hempenstall Barometers and Thermometers. 12 Suffolk Street, Dublin.—

THE SUN.

To-day.... Rises	7.43	Sets	4.34
To-morrow.. „	7.45	„	4.33
Lighting-up Time			5.34

HIGH WATER—DUBLIN.

To-day.... Morning	3.44	Afternoon	4.19
To-morrow.. „	4.58	„	5.58

TO-DAY'S ENGAGEMENTS.

Gaiety Theatre—"The Valkyrie," 7.30 p.m.
Abbey Theatre—"The Importance of Being Earnest," 8 p.m.
Theatre Royal—"Brighter London," 6.45 & 9 p.m.
Olympia Theatre—"Liffey Laughs," 7 and 9 p.m.
La Scala Theatre—"Mademoiselle from Armentières," 3.20, 6 and 8.20 p.m.
Metropole Cinema—"Oh, What a Nurse," 2.45, 4.55, 7.5 and 9.15 p.m.
Grafton Cinema—"Wild, Wild Susan."
Grand Central Cinema—"Irish Luck," 3-10.30 p.m.
Corinthian Cinema—"The Midnight Sun," 2.30, 4.30, 6.30 and 8.30 p.m.
The Pavilion, Dun Laoghaire—"A Thief in Paradise," 4, 6.20, and 8.50 p.m.
Alexandra College—Lecture, 4 p.m.
Miss Forstyth's Concert, Lecture Hall, Lower Abbey street, 8 p.m.
Royal Dublin Society—Lecture by Commendatore Villari, 4 p.m.
Recital at Donore Presbyterian Church.
Statistical Society, Royal Irish Academy, 8 p.m.
Technical Education Committee, 14 Hume street, 10.30 a.m.
Central Criminal Court, 10.30 a.m.
Circuit Court, Dublin Castle, 11 a.m.
Institution of Electrical Engineers, T.C.D., 7.45 p.m.

LONDON LETTER.

REMEMBRANCE.

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
THURSDAY NIGHT.

The commemoration of the Armistice to-day revealed that the annual ceremony is becoming deeply rooted in the hearts of the people. There were immense assemblages in Whitehall—which was crowded with people from end to end—the great gatherings at St. Paul's Cathedral, the Royal Exchange, Oxford Circus and at other central points. Wherever there is an open space there was a crowd. The silence was wonderfully kept, the stilling of the motors strengthening the general effect. The hush was so profound that the "Last Post" in Whitehall at the close of the silence could be heard in Fleet street, the sound being accompanied by the bursting of maroons in the outlying suburbs.

The wreaths placed on the Cenotaph immediately before the silence this morning by the King, the Prince of Wales and the Duke of York were composed of the scarlet Flanders poppy, with the addition of laurel. Mr. Baldwin had a great wreath of chrysanthemums, and the Dominion Premiers in turn all deposited beautiful floral offerings. Mr. Kevin O'Higgins, the Vice-President of the Executive Council of the Irish Free State, representing Mr. Cosgrave, was fifth in the order of placing his offering, which was a very beautiful trophy in the shape of a harp, made entirely of soft, white flowers and bearing an inscription, "Honour to the brave," from the Free State Government. All these wreaths afterwards were placed on stands at the foot of the Cenotaph, so that they might be inspected.

The Silence.

During the silence the King stood alone, the Prince of Wales, the Duke of York and Prince Arthur of Connaught being immediately behind him, while the Prime Minister, the Dominion Premiers, the Cabinet and ex-Cabinet Ministers stood in two long lines on the right. The Queen, who was accompanied by the Queen of Spain and all the Royal Princesses, except Princess Mary, occupied the central window in the Home Office, looking directly down on the scene below. The Queen was in steel grey.

The Unknown Warrior.

The Service in the Abbey this morning centred at the tomb of the Unknown Warrior, and the Dean, with his Chapter, stood at the head of the tomb during the silence. In the Abbey the two minutes' quiet seemed to be of greater intensity than in any other place. The Service was simple, but every detail was carried out perfectly, and the large congregation was able to follow with comfort. At the close, after the singing of the National Anthem, the High Commissioners for the Dominions, including the High Commissioner for the Irish Free State, stepped forward and placed wreaths on the tomb. That placed by Mr. MacNeill was of yellow chrysanthemums, with the inscription, "Honour to the brave," from the Irish Free State Government. The Dean and his clergy, with the scarlet-robed choir, then retired singing towards the sanctuary, the boys' voices dying away in the distance as the people formed a double queue to pass by the black marble slab now covered with choice blooms.

"Every Man was Some Mother's Son."

One of the most touching of the many Armistice Services held in London was that arranged by the Mothers' Union this afternoon in the beautiful little chapel of Mary Sumner House. The chapel was filled with mothers, headed by Mrs. Wilberforce and the Dowager Marchioness of Dufferin, the Vice-presidents, Mrs. Barclay, the Central President, being indisposed. The Service was taken by Dr. Jervis, Chaplain-General to the Forces, and opened with Kipling's "Recessional," beautifully sung by the women. A number of commemorations followed, with some Collects. Dr. Jervis then addressed the mothers, taking a text from the Book of Samuel ending with the words, "And every man was some mother's son." His was an earnest and eloquent appeal to those present to recollect that the day conveyed two things—"Remembrance" and "Resolve." The singing of "O Valiant Hearts," with the Blessing, concluded a Service that could not have been improved. Its perfect simplicity and whole-heartedness was an indication of the wonderful spirit shown by the mothers of the country throughout the war.

Coal Peace at Hand.

The announcement made during the afternoon that the Prime Minister had abandoned the Glasgow visit, fixed for to-morrow, was regarded as an indication that events were moving in connection with the coal strike. This turned out to be correct, and later on it became known that the delegates to the conference of the Miners' Federation had accepted the principle of district agreements, with the qualification that they should be subject to the creation of an authority to safeguard the principles they described as national. Following upon this decision a meeting was arranged to take place with the Coal Committee of the Cabinet in the course of the evening. All this means that there is a very great advance in the direction of peace, although the coal owners have yet to be consulted, and there is a difference of opinion in the Cabinet concerning the formation of the proposed national body, or tribunal. A meeting of the Cabinet was held in the House of Commons this afternoon to discuss this point.

The King's Holiday.

Everything relating to the annual visit of the King to Lord Iveagh at Elveden is kept secret, but I understand that, in addition to the host, who does not take part in the shoot himself, the guns will include two of his sons and four friends of the King. The shooting is organised wonderfully; for every covert and butt are linked by telephone, while there are six cars to convey the guns from drive to drive for the beats, and at lunch time hot meals are brought by car to the place where the guns are expected to watch the lay out of the results of the shoot. On one occasion one thousand pheasants and five hundred partridges fell to six guns before lunch.

The Housing Subsidy.

Now that the housing problem is on its way to solution, it is most improbable that the Government will continue the housing subsidy, which now costs the country several millions a year. It is possible that Mr. Neville Chamberlain, the Minister of Health, may introduce a finance resolution on this subject before the House rises before Christmas. The present subsidy operates until October next year. A cut will be made, in any case, owing to the pressing need for public economy—a need likely to be greater than ever next year.

French War Bonds.

The Provisional Committee of the British holders of French war bonds, issued in London and Dublin, is making good progress with its campaign, and a public meeting of the bondholders is to take place in London as soon as possible. In order that notice may be sent to bondholders, I am asked to state that the address of the Committee is 17 King street, St. James's. Bondholders are urged to make every effort to attend the meeting.

STATE INSURANCE IN AUSTRALIA

PERTH (W.A.), Thursday.

The Legislative Council to-day passed by twelve votes to eleven the second reading of the bill providing for State insurance.—(Reuter.)

IRELAND HONOURS HER DEAD.

40,000 KEEP THE SILENCE IN PHŒNIX PARK.

"RECORD" POPPY DAY.

SOLEMN CEREMONIES OF REMEMBRANCE.

THROUGHOUT the whole of the British Empire the eighth anniversary of the signing of the Armistice was observed with undiminished fervour. At the Cenotaph, the centre of yesterday's ceremonial in London, there were unforgettable scenes of homage, beginning at midnight on Wednesday, when a wreath from the limbless ex-Service men was deposited.

Dublin was astir early for the ceremonies, and at 8 a.m. the great march to the Phœnix Park began. Fewer flags, perhaps, were displayed on public buildings than was the case last year, but the poppy was worn everywhere. The approach of 10 a.m. brought an increasingly heavy volume of traffic into the central thoroughfares, but, thanks to the efficiency of the police arrangements, there was no congestion at this stage.

From Beresford place, a few minutes after ten o'clock, started the largest individual procession of ex-Service men, comprising about twenty different contingents. The number of decorations worn was remarkable, and it was not an uncommon sight to see a single breast resplendent with nine and ten medals. What struck one most was the orderly behaviour of the massing crowds, which seemed to show a real appreciation of the difficulties of the police, and a willingness to make them as light as possible. Of the actual ceremony at the Cenotaph, it need merely be said here that it passed off without the slightest hitch, the two minutes of solemn remembrance being unbroken by any sound save the faint sighing of the wind in the trees.

The departure of the huge gathering from the Phœnix Park took less than half an hour, and the subsequent dispersal in various parts was conducted without undue display or difficulty. In the afternoon and evening small gangs of young men and women snatched poppies from passers-by and tore decorations from the coats of ex-Service men. As a result of street scuffles about a dozen persons sustained minor injuries, but the police prevented any serious disturbance.

In other parts of Ireland—North and South—"Poppy Day" was solemnly celebrated. No incidents of any kind are reported. The sales of the Haig poppies must have reached a "record" figure.

Pictures of the Remembrance Day celebrations will be found on Pages 3 and 9.

40,000 IN PHŒNIX PARK.

THE UNBROKEN SILENCE.

"Have we not all one freedom, lost and found,
When to one service body and soul are bound?
And is not life itself, if seen aright,
A great emergency, an endless fight?
For all men's native land, and worth the price
Of all men's service and their sacrifice?"
—Sir Henry Newbolt.

THE note of Newbolt's beautiful lines found earnest echo in the mighty throng of Irish citizens who assembled in the Phœnix Park yesterday. Here was no spirit of "mafficking"; no exultation over a defeated enemy. Irish ex-Service men, the widows and orphans, relatives and friends of the fallen had gathered to do honour, in simple ceremony, to the memory of Ireland's fifty thousand dead.

"Their name liveth for evermore," thought we surviving ones as we stood with bared heads by the weather-beaten oak cross which for so many years had a place in the very centre of the Guinchy-Guillemont battlefield. The memories swayed back of our comrades-in-arms: sad memories, but proud, of duty nobly done; of sacrifice; of merry times in camps and billets, and of the simple little things, outside of actual fighting, which make up the soldier's daily life.

OVER 40,000.

It would be hard, indeed, to estimate the size of the gathering. It did not, however, number less than forty thousand. From an early hour people began to arrive by every kind of vehicle and on foot, and an hour before the ceremony began the wide open space in the Phœnix Park surrounding the Wellington Monument was densely crowded.

The cross, encircled by a rope enclosure —where distinguished visitors and those with wreaths to lay at the foot of it were accommodated—was placed in the very shadow of the obelisk which recalls the memory of one of Ireland's greatest soldiers. In every conceivable place people found a vantage point, and up the great base of the Wellington Monument hundreds found in its wide steps a point where they could view the ceremony.

IN HOSPITAL BLUE.

A burst of cheering greeted the marching ex-Service men when the head of the column was seen approaching, stepping out briskly with heads erect to the rousing military music. Cheer after cheer continued as the men came along in column of route—fine fellows, young many of them; others, the veterans of other wars than Armageddon. By half-past ten the parade was in position, forming one huge square around the cross.

Of colour in the crowd there was plenty. From an almost cloudless sky a bright sun shone, the medals of the men scintillating in its rays. Every detachment bore a banner, and marched into position to the music of its own band. In close proximity were a pathetic little group of ex-Service men in "hospital blues" and a party of Fascisti in their striking black shirts.

Here a Royal Artilleryman, in business-like khaki, talked with a couple of men of the merchant service, who justly and proudly claim to be ex-Service men, too. There were representatives of every branch of the Army and Navy, from Queen Mary's Hon. Auxiliary Corps to the stalwarts of the Household Cavalry.

NOT A JARRING NOTE.

Around the cross stood distinguished generals and Peers with wreaths to place on the cenotaph, side by side with mothers and children and wives and widows, with their little tributes of memory for their dear ones. There was not one jarring note in the vast assembly. The big heart of Ireland was here at its best.

The ceremony proper began when the solemn cadence of Chopin's Funeral March fell upon the air. It was followed by the majestic notes of Beethoven's Funeral March. How that glorious music stirred the emotions of the crowd, but we did not express all we felt. Old soldiers stood smartly at "attention," gazing grimly to the front, and only an occasional stifled sob from some heart-broken wife or mother told of its poignancy.

THE SILENCE.

Then came the "Last Post," sounded by a section of buglers. Between its long-drawn-out notes a complete silence reigned. Many eyes were tear-filled then, and when all stood still for the Two Minutes' Silence, so deeply impressive it was that when one closed one's eyes to pray one felt alone in the vast acres of the Park.

But woe has its joys as well as its sorrows, and this we knew when the joyful notes of the "Réveille" broke forth, reminding us, as it so often reminded the dead of Ireland, of duty still to be done; for "is not life, if seen aright, a great emergency, an endless fight?" We realised then, if never before, that they did not die in vain.

Followed the laying of the many and beautiful wreaths—some of them but simple tributes; others of elaborate design and colouring. In all, however, the Flanders poppy predominated. When this was done there was a huge mound of flowers at the base of the cross. During this part of the proceedings a pipers' band played an Irish lament.

TO REMAIN FOR A WEEK.

That concluded the ceremony. There remained only the march past the cross of the ex-Service men, which they did smartly and well. "By the Left—Quick March," the order was rattled out, and the column moved off to the parade grounds for the "Dismiss." As every section passed the cenotaph heads and eyes were turned sharply to the right.

The crowd, too, dispersed in a perfectly orderly way, and, considering its size, in a remarkably brief space of time.

Some lingered reverently awhile at the cross, and during the entire day there were many pilgrimages to its site

The cross will remain in Phœnix Park until next Thursday, watched day and night by a force of Civic Guards.

SIR W. HICKIE'S TRIBUTE.

POLICE MEET DIFFICULTIES WITH A SMILE.

"I think the ceremony was magnificent," said Major-General Sir W. B. Hickie, when interviewed yesterday.

"There is very little doubt," he added, "that the Phœnix Park lends itself very much more to a solemn and impressive ceremony than College Green or any other site in the city. In towns in other countries large forces of police and the military are drafted in to keep the streets, but our staff was very small, and the last two years it was really the crowd that was out of hand. This year we were able to establish some sort of law and order, and, with that experience, I have little doubt that we shall make the ceremony more solemn and impressive next year.

TRIBUTE TO THE POLICE.

"The people who are principally to be congratulated on the success of to-day are the police. I do not mean the departmental heads only, but also the individual men on duty. They met every difficulty with a smile, and certainly kept up the tradition and prestige of the D.M.P.

"Personally I was very happy to see the old wooden cross, which has stood for nine years between Guillemont and Guinchy, at last on Irish soil. I hope that we may be able before very long to find a resting-place for it, where all can see it.

"The success of the arrangements are

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LONDON'S GREAT SILENCE.

AT THE CENOTAPH.

ALL DAY AND NIGHT PILGRIMAGE.

FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.

LONDON, Thursday.

BIG BEN hammers out the eleventh hour, the boom of a gun echoes and re-echoes in the cornices and doorways of Whitehall, and then there is silence, a silence that terrifies in its intensity—gripping the human heart in a vice of tightening emotions, and petrifying the mighty multitude that stretches from Parliament street to Trafalgar square in serried mass.

London is as still as the tombs of its fallen. The silence has spread over its vastness like a pall. Away down the river a ship's siren faintly hooting offends like a cannon shot, and even the fluttering wings of the pigeons that are wheeling anxiously over the Cenotaph, startled by the sudden hush, seem to clash like cymbals in one's ears.

Not a human sound is heard—not even a sob to relieve the awful tension, although tears are falling quietly as surging thoughts arise. Overhead is a brilliant sky, as if of springtime. The air of London is fresh and sharp, with the exhilarating tang of autumn in its breeze, and the stately flags on every housetop wave gently in the sun.

A GREAT SIGH.

Once more the gun crashed its signal. A great sigh rises from the earth, and the pigeons, happy now to find mankind alive again, career away in flustered flight. The silence is over. In two minutes that countless throng has re-lived a lifetime. Many of them have been carried back to those fevered days of 1914, when bands were playing and flags were flying to bid God-speed to the deathless little army of "mercenaries" that stopped the Germans' onrush with its lives.

Others have been thinking of the dark years that followed; of Ypres, of the Somme, of Cambrai, of Gallipoli, and all the other graveyards of Britain's sons. All have been with their dead boys again —for those precious two minutes of memory-laden silence.

Around the Cenotaph, the King, with his soldier sons, his fighting leaders, and the statesmen of Empire, stands with bent head, a symbol of Britain's grief and pride. A little to one side, the tall, slightly-stooped figure of an Irish Minister, bereft like the rest, recalls bitter days and a joyful peace, and as the mournful wail of the "Last Post" pierces the heavens, the roar of London's traffic is heard again like the sound of the guns in the distance.

FOR REMEMBRANCE.

There are prayers. The massed bands strike up the grand old hymn, "O God, Our Help in Ages Past," and the whole crowd joins in the singing. Feelings are loosed at last. The singing has a fervour with which no other occasion could invest it, and the quavering voices of tearful women blend with the hoarse basses of the men in an anthem of praise which to thousands also is a requiem.

Réveille chases the tears from our eyes and the sorrow from our souls. Death is swallowed up in victory. Those million lads that lie in foreign clay or rest in the ocean's depths are gloriously alive in England's swelling heart, and one notices an almost triumphant air about the pilgrims to the Cenotaph, laying their simple little tokens of remembrance at the foot of the mpty tomb.

THE UNKNOWN WARRIOR.

For hours and hours they file past. Row upon row, thousand upon thousand, until night falls, and the great arc lamps throw the shadows of the city's teeming life across the streets.

From Whitehall they cross to the Abbey, there again to wait patiently in a never-ending procession until it comes to their turn to walk past the Unknown Warrior's tomb, covered with sprinkled poppies. Even in the passing 'buses men and women alike stand up and bow their heads as they are carried home down Whitehall from office and workshop.

To-day, at any rate, Britain's dead are not forgotten; but night has come. The last 'buses are hurrying towards their depôts. Taxi-drivers are dropping off to sleep on their ranks, and London's millions are seeking the warmth and comfort of their homes. Still they linger

AT NIGHT.

The police at the Cenotaph keep moving them gently on—who is so gentle and tactful as a London policeman? Yet bare-headed men and hundreds of women remain, too shabby, perhaps, to venture out into the glare of the noonday, but proud, even in their direst poverty, of their menfolk's sacrifice, to gaze at the stately memorial and to commune with their souls.

ROUND THE GLOBE.

HOW THE GREAT SILENCE WAS KEPT.

The observation of the great silence was very impressive at Roehampton, where 100 golfers on the course stopped play and uncovered where they stood—some in bunkers and others on the green.

In all parts of India impressive Services were held. Flanders poppies were worn.

A survivor of the Lusitania tragedy dropped a wreath into the sea in memory of the ship as part of the Armistice Day observance aboard her sister ship, the Mauretania.

Special Memorial Services were held in the Principal Canadian cities. There was a parade of veterans at Ottawa, where Lord and Lady Willingdon laid a wreath on the base of the Cenotaph.

Flanders poppies were worn on board the British Atlantic liners.

Followers of the Holderness Hunt at Hornsea, East Yorks, stopped hunting, and observed the great silence with bared heads.

At Kirkwall, in the Orkneys, an officer was injured in the face by some splinters from a burst rocket fired at the commencement of the silence.

The ceremony at Gibraltar was attended by officers of the United States ships Isherwood and Case, who joined in laying wreaths at the foot of the Cross of Sacrifice.

At St. John, New Brunswick, Sir Arthur Currie, who was Commander of the Canadian Corps in France, attended a reunion of maritime provinces overseas officers.

Among the memorial notices appearing in the Toronto papers was one inserted by the surviving sisters in memory of five brothers killed in the Great War.

THE "IRISH TIMES" FUEL FUND.

FREE DISTRIBUTION OF FIRE BLOCKS.

The free distribution of fire blocks will be continued daily (Sunday excepted) to ticket-holders only at the "Irish Times" Fuel Dépôt, 49 City quay, Dublin, between the hours of 10 and 4 o'clock.

Tickets, entitling the holders to two stones of fuel, are being distributed to those persons whose needs are most pressing, and among whom acute distress exists, by the St. Vincent de Paul Society and the Association for the Relief of Distressed Protestants.

Conferences, local committees and parochial associations are asked to provide the transport of their fuel supplies from 49 City quay, Dublin. Local volunteer help ought to be enlisted for this purpose.

To-day the total amount of the *Irish Times* Fund reaches £4,225 8s. 0d.

TWENTIETH LIST OF SUBSCRIPTIONS.

Amount already acknowledged...	£4,202 5 6
Members of the Staff of the Provincial Bank of Ireland, Ltd., 5 College street, Dublin	10 17 0
Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Harpur, Old Cairo, Egypt	5 0 0
James Kinkead, 24-26 Foley street, Dublin	2 2 0
"B. S. J."	2 0 0
Ruby McConnell, 22 Lincoln place	1 1 0
Mrs. A. Riall, Chantilly, Shankill	1 1 0
"3 In a Garden House."	1 0 0
"Anonymous," Earlscourt	0 2 6

EMPEROR OF JAPAN ILL.

REGENT CANCELS PLANS TO LEAVE CAPITAL.

TOKIO, Thursday.

The Emperor of Japan, who has been suffering from a cold for some days past, has developed bronchitis, and has a high temperature. The Regent has cancelled all his arrangements to attend the army manœuvres.

This step has aroused public concern, as Royal attendance at manœuvres is a deep-rooted custom, which is not lightly abandoned.

The Empress did not attend the chrysanthemum garden party yesterday. The Emperor has been a secluded invalid since 1917.

TWO MILLIONS IN DEATH DUTIES.

LADY STRATHCONA'S SIX MILLION ESTATE.

The will of the late Lady Strathcona, details of which were given on September 9th, has been lodged at Dunoon. The total sum on which duty will be charged is shown to be £5,687,863. The death duty will amount to £2,166,780. Movables in Great Britain are of the value of nearly £4,000,000.

MR. G. B. SHAW GIVEN NOBEL PRIZE.

NOW CLAIMED AS AN ENGLISHMAN.

FROM REUTER'S TELEGRAM.

STOCKHOLM, Thursday.

The Swedish Academy has awarded the Nobel prize for literature for 1925 to Mr. Bernard Shaw.

The award for the prize for literature for 1926 has been postponed to next year. Each Nobel prize for 1925 amounts to 188,000 Swedish kroner (about £6,500).

Mr. Shaw is the second Irishman to win the prize, the first being Senator Yeats.

"AN ENGLISHMAN."

The *Daily Express* says that Mr. Bernard Shaw puts his tongue in his cheek, and suggests that the Swedish Academy's decision to award him the Nobel prize for literature may have been taken because he has not written a book for a long time. Mr. Shaw laughs at everybody else, but, because he can laugh at himself as well, everybody else also laughs at, and with, him. The fact remains that, possibly in spite of himself, he is by way of being a literary giant, and also a great Englishman. He may deny the second count in the indictment, but he has lived here so long—with profit both to himself and this country—that he can no more be regarded as an Irishman.

G.B.S.'s SUCCESS.

The award of the Nobel Prize to Mr. Bernard Shaw is a just recognition of his widespread eminence on the Continent, remarks the *Westminster Gazette*, and its suitability will not be questioned here, where Mr. Shaw, the irrepressible playboy of controversy, does not always allow us to take him seriously as G.K.C.'s puritan.

In Germany Shaw seasons rival Shakespeare seasons, though the early worship of his plays has given way to a more critical note. The Nietzschean doctrine hidden in "Man and Superman" no doubt appeals to intellectual German playgoers, or it may be that his impish liveliness is their secret delight as a contrast to so much heavy-footed German philosophy.

It seems strange that the Swedish Academy has not honoured Thomas Hardy in this way; but he is one of the least read of our great writers in Northern Europe, as they have a curious misapprehension that the Wessex books are too local in idiom, whereas their sweep of tragic fatefulness and pity suggests a modern Sophocles. To live up to his jesting reputation Mr. Shaw has only to decline the proffered honour in a long and fantastic epistle.

CANNIBAL CHIEF'S WISH.

WANTED TO TASTE A WHITE MAN.

GENEVA, Thursday.

Members of the Permanent Mandates Commission, who to-day examined the report on the British Cameroons, were greatly amused by a story in connection with Mr. Ormsby Gore's statement.

He was referring to a successful expedition against a lawless tribe, when Sir Frederick Lugard, British member of the Commission, and former Governor of Nigeria, related an experience of his own with the same tribe. His native emissaries were eaten up by the tribesmen, and on his threatening to come himself, the chief of the tribe replied that he was delighted to hear this, as he would like to feel what a white man tasted like.—(Reuter.)

MR. BALDWIN'S BID FOR COAL PEACE.

CONFERENCES LAST ALL NIGHT.

DRAUGHTSMEN HARD AT WORK.

SOLUTION POSSIBLE TO-DAY.

MR. BALDWIN is making a great effort to bring the coal dispute to an end. Throughout the greater part of yesterday he was in touch with both parties. His series of conferences has lasted almost without intermission through the night, and as we go to press this morning they are still in progress.

How near the issue has approached solution is apparent from the fact that at 1.30 a.m. the contending parties remained in touch with each other and with the Coal Committee of the Cabinet. The outstanding difficulty was understood to be the constitution, character and powers of the National Tribunal.

The Government last night submitted revised amplified proposals to the miners' representatives, who suggested certain amendments. Then the coalowners were summoned and the conference proceeded.

Parliamentary draughtsmen were busy upon various drafts during the night, and at 1.30 it was stated on authority that the conversations were "proceeding normally." In various quarters the prolonged negotiations were regarded as a hopeful sign.

EXECUTIVE FREE TO NEGOTIATE.

THE MINERS' DECISION.

The Labour Correspondent of *The Times* writes:—The Miners' Delegate Conference yesterday set the Executive of the Federation free to continue negotiations with the Government for the settlement of the coal dispute. The decision, which was unanimous, meant that the miners conceded district agreements, based on a revision of the wage rates and the hours of work, but that they would press the Government to set up a tribunal for the review and co-ordination of the district agreements in accordance with the national principles laid down by the Government and believed to have the approval of the colliery owners.

Equipped with this new authority, the Executive last night met the Coal Committee of the Cabinet, when the Government proposals of last week were received in an amplified form and were considered.

As the discussions developed the miners asked definitely for information concerning the views of the Government on the possibility of establishing a National Tribunal, and also as to the constitution of such a body. The opposition of the owners to any tribunal which would have power to alter settlements made in the districts is described as unchanged.

The Government proposal is a Committee of three experts, to be set up by legislation, and to remain in existence for six months. Its functions would be to review the district agreements, and see that their provisions are in accordance with the general principles laid down by the Government.

OWNERS INFORMED.

DETAILS UNDER DISCUSSION.

After a brief interview between the representatives of the Government and representatives of the coal-owners, which, it was stated in well-informed quarters, was for the purpose of "informing" the mine-owners, a meeting of the Cabinet Coal Committee was held. This continued until almost a quarter-past eleven, when the miners' representatives, who had been assembled in another room, again met the Committee.

A little before 1.30 a.m. the conference had a short adjournment, while the parties conferred separately. The Press Association learned that a stage had been reached when details were under discussion. Parliamentary draughtsmen were busy during the night drawing up various documents. It was learned authoritatively that the conversations were proceeding "normally."

THE OUTSTANDING QUESTION.

POWERS OF NATIONAL TRIBUNAL.

The Miners' Executive, before meeting the Government last night, made no secret of the fact that all that remained to be settled was the question of a National Tribunal, its constitution, functions, and powers. Individual members of the Executive stated that they had verbal assurances that such a body would be set up if they gave way on the question of hours.

Efforts were expected to be made at the conference with the Government to arrange for a temporary resumption of work while the district settlements are being arranged on a permanent basis.

REVISED PROPOSALS.

A member of the Miners' Executive informed the Press Association that when they met the Prime Minister the Executive were presented with a revised set of proposals, which included definitely the principle of a tribunal. The miners' representatives, after considering these proposals, made various revisions and alterations and sent the draft back to the Prime Minister, who gave the Executive to understand that the Government were not quite satisfied with the position, and announced that they would meet the owners with the object of endeavouring to arrange a settlement by agreement.

OWNERS SEE MR. BALDWIN.

On the adjournment of the conference between the miners and the Government Mr. Evan Williams and Sir Adam Nimmo arrived at the House of Commons and had an interview with the Prime Minister. It is understood that their attendance had been requested by telephone. It is gathered that in the document given to the miners' representatives last night by the Government no details were given as to the functions of a National Tribunal, or "Board," as it is called.

MINERS AT WORK.

The number of miners returned officially as working yesterday was 320,353, an increase of 1,663 on Wednesday's total.

Señor Lerroux, the Spanish Republican leader, who was arrested last Saturday, was set at liberty yesterday.

LATE NEWS.

NO SETTLEMENT IN COAL CRISIS.

STATEMENT AT 3.30 A.M.

At 3.30 a.m. a statement was issued from the House of Commons that no settlement had been reached.

The Miners' Executive have received the Government's final proposals, and will submit them to the delegate conference.

The conference ended at 3.15 a.m.

NEARING THE END.

CABINET'S SOUND PROPOSALS.

The Times, dealing in an editorial article with yesterday's development in the coal dispute—the giving by the Delegate Conference of full powers of negotiation to the Miners' Executive Committee—observes:—"To appreciate the character of this last phase of the situation it is necessary to bear in mind the refusal of the Mining Association, the national organisation of the colliery owners, to enter into negotiations or to make an agreement with the Miners' Federation.

"It is this fact which explains the relations with the miners into which the Government has entered. The Government has not accepted the colliery owners' contention that separate and unrelated agreements in the several mining areas are all that is necessary, and that such agreements provide the best assurance of the settlement of the affairs of the industry by a revival of friendly relations.

"The proposals for a settlement which the Government has made are economically sound," adds *The Times*. "On the admission of the owners themselves, they provide the security and the elasticity which are required in the working of district agreements. There can be no question at all of a tribunal, which may be a co-ordinating or appeal tribunal, allowing any departure from the agreed principles.

At the same time it is conceivable that questions may arise in the districts that would be more easily settled by reference to an impartial and authoritative body than in any other way, and, in the meantime, the resumption of work need not be delayed.

"The right of appeal must obviously be to secure observance of, and not departure from, the principles antecedently laid down. The inherent force of the principles, therefore, could in no way be abated, but must rather be enhanced. If, as appears to be the case, there is no longer an economic obstacle to a settlement that will secure the early resumption of work in every coalfield, objections of a totally different order should be withdrawn, or, if necessary, over-ruled."

SYNTHETIC FUEL

USED ON PARIS-LONDON AIR LINERS.

PARIS, Thursday.

It is announced from Le Bourget that experiments are now being made by the French companies running on the Paris-London air line with a new synthetic fuel on engines of the ordinary commercial aeroplane type.—(Reuter.)

ANTI-FASCIST BODIES DISSOLVED.

SOME DIRECTORS ALSO REPLACED.

ROME, Thursday.

The immediate application of the new law regarding public security and the dissolution of anti-Fascist organisations has been initiated without the slightest incident, and all those parties and organisations, together with others which were considered to be of a suspicious nature, have been disbanded.

In certain economic organisations, of which the members of the Administration appeared to be of doubtful loyalty, the directors have been replaced by Government Commissioners, but no measures of this sort were taken in a number of provinces, as no organisations hostile to the Fascist *régime* are known to have existed in them for a long time.—(Reuter.)

ELEPHANT'S CARCASE

WASHED ASHORE IN WOODEN CRATE.

The carcase of a young elephant was washed ashore in a large wooden crate at the eastern end of Worthing Parade at high tide yesterday.

There was nothing to indicate its destination, but the fact that the crate was covered with rubberoid suggests that the dead animal had been a deck passenger. It had been in the water about two days, and possibly formed part of the cargo of a vessel that foundered off Deal.

THE BANK OF ENGLAND.

The court of directors of the Bank of England, at their meeting yesterday, agreed to recommend to the proprietors, in April next, that the Right Hon. Montagu Collet Norman, D.S.O., the present Governor, be re-elected Governor, and that Mr. Cecil Lubbock, of Messrs. Whitbread and Co., Ltd., a director of the bank, be elected Deputy Governor for the year ensuing.

NOBEL PRIZE FOR PHYSICS.

STOCKHOLM, Thursday.

The Academy of Science has decided to divide the 1925 Nobel Prize for Physics between Professor J. Franck, of Goettingen, and Professor G. Hertz, of Halle. The Academy has awarded the Nobel Prize for Physics for 1926 to Professor Jean Perrin, of the Sorbonne.—(Reuter.)

A NEW COMET.

FROM "THE TIMES" CORRESPONDENT.

MADRID, Thursday.

According to a communication published by the Academy of Sciences, Don Jose Comas claims to have discovered a comet of the twelfth magnitude during the night of November 4-5; its right ascension is 2 hr. 56 min. 36 secs., and north declination 6.31 deg. At the present moment it is approximately in opposition to the sun.

Every city, town and hamlet in Australia had, some form of public observance of Armistice Day. Great public gatherings in the cities were attended by the Vice-regal, political, civic, and ex-Service repre-

EUROPE'S ENVY OF AMERICA.

MR. COOLIDGE'S PLEA FOR GOOD-WILL.

IF A NEW WAR—

WEALTH WOULD BE CONSCRIPTED, TOO."

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

KANSAS CITY, Thursday.

"They tell us that we are not liked in Europe. Such reports undoubtedly are exaggerated, and can be given too much importance. We are a creditor nation. We are more prosperous than some of the others. This means that our interests have come within the European circle, where distrust and suspicion, if nothing more, have been altogether too common."

Mr. Coolidge made this remark to-day. He has rarely spoken so frankly and freely in public regarding present-day conditions in the countries of Europe and their post-war psychology, as he did on the occasion of the unveiling of the Kansas City War Memorial.

While, however, the countries of the old world were taken to task for indulging for generations past in the luxury of "suspicion, distrust, and hatred towards other nations," with results ruinous to themselves, the President qualified his observations by saying: "It is not for us to pass judgment upon those who are less favoured. In their place we might have done worse."

GOOD-WILL.

President Coolidge made an eloquent appeal for good-will and friendly relations between the American and other peoples.

"Nothing is to be gained," declared the President, "from criminations or re-criminations. We are attempting to restore the world to a state of better understanding and amity. We can even leave to others the discussion of who won the war"

WORLD COURT.

Referring to the World Court, President Coolidge declared emphatically that only on the conditions laid down by the Senate could the United States adhere to it.

"Unless the requirements of the Senate resolution are met by the other interested nations," he said, "I see no prospect of this country adhering to the world court."

Inspired, perhaps, by the nature of the ceremony in which he was taking part, President Coolidge took advantage of the opportunity to make a notable pronouncement on the subject of conscription in America in the event of another war.

CONSCRIPTION OF WEALTH.

He declared that the policy of the Government in that case should be universal conscription, not only of man power, but also of the wealth of the nation.

"To expose some men to the perils of the battlefield while others are left to reap large gains, to make a sacrifice of one and a profiteer of another, is not in harmony with our ideals of equity," he said.

While President Coolidge advocated the maintenance of an adequate standard of air, naval and military preparedness, he disclaimed on behalf of the United States "any Imperialistic designs."

He also reiterated the desire of the American Government for the lessening of competitive armaments, especially naval armaments, to achieve which end America was prepared to make reasonable sacrifices.

WAR DEBTS.

In mentioning the vexed question of war debts, President Coolidge again expressed the view that moderation was a mutual international obligation, while deprecating "extortion or oppression." President Coolidge was careful, however, to emphasise in this connection that America had consistently pursued a policy of recognition of the sanctity of international obligations, and he declared he did not believe that the world could rest on any other secure foundation.

CHEERED BY 150,000.

As the President's special train pulled out of the station this afternoon, bound for Washington, Mr. Coolidge received an ovation from the large crowds. The enthusiasm was, doubtless, partly due to the great impression caused by his speech this morning, at the conclusion of which a crowd estimated to number 150,000 cheered themselves hoarse.

ROYAL SOCIETY.

THIS YEAR'S MEDALLISTS.

The King has approved of the following awards this year by the President and Council of the Royal Society:—

Royal Medals—Sir William Hardy, for "colloidal chemistry and theory of lubrication"; and Professor A. V. Hill, for work on "the physical and chemical aspects of muscular contraction."

The following awards have been made by the President and Council:—

Copley Medal—Sir Frederick Hopkins, for biochemistry.

Rumford Medal—Sir Arthur Schuster, for physical science.

Davy Medal—Sir James Walker, for work on the theory of ionisation and ionic equilibria in solution.

Darwin Medal—Dr. D. H. Scott, for contributions to palæophytology.

Hughes Medal—Admiral Sir Henry Jackson, for scientific investigation of radio telegraphy and its application to navigation.

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SIR W. HICKIE'S TRIBUTE.

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due to Mr. Connolly, Chairman, British Legion; Mr. Nolan, Vice-President; and Major Tynan, Secretary.

THANKS TO POPPY-SELLERS.

"One cannot refrain," continued the General, "from thanking the many ladies who have helped us by selling poppies, and the public, who have subscribed so generously.

"I think it is up to the Relief Department of the Legion to see that the funds are wisely administered. One hears a great deal of criticism from time to time of the method of distribution, and we shall be very happy in the Legion if anybody who knows of any case of maladministration will bring it directly to the notice of our Council."

THE PARADE.

IMPOSING DISPLAY: FINE ORGANISATION.

The parade of ex-Service men to the Cross of Remembrance in the Phœnix Park was one of the most imposing demonstrations that Dublin has witnessed for some time.

In previous years this part of the ceremonial did not attract especial attention, for the reason that the parade was through comparatively confined areas, with dense throngs overflowing from the side paths and crowding on to the marching men. Yesterday the fine open stretch of the northern quays, a mile and a half in length, offered to the citizens a full view of the demonstration, inspiring in its proportions and admirable in its carrying out.

9,000 IN THE MARCH.

The plan arranged between the British Legion organisers and the Metropolitan Civic Guard provided spacing at the mustering place for thirty-four sections of approximately 200 men apiece. That brings the strength of the parade at the start to about 7,000, and to that are to be added the contingents that joined in at the Kingsbridge. All told, the number that took part in the march must have been very close on 9,000.

The weather, which in the early morning had been dull, with every sign of rain, cleared shortly after nine o'clock, and from that throughout the day the sun shone cheeringly. The different contingents began to arrive in Beresford place soon after nine o'clock, and as they arrived they took up their allotted positions without any confusion. This part of the arrangements was so well carried out by the stewards acting with Captain Dennis that until the parade got under weigh there was not the slightest interference with the heavy traffic which passes through that area.

At 9.45 the parade was drawn up at ease from O'Connell Bridge back as far as Store street. Sharp to the appointed time the "Quick March" was given by Mr. A. P. Connolly, Irish Guards, President of the British Legion in the Free State. The parade was led by the brass band of the Legion, with headquarters in Bachelor's Walk, and close on a dozen other bands, mostly pipe and fife and drum, played the men along.

THE LEADERS.

Along with the President of the Legion there marched behind the leading contingent Brigadier-General Hammond, Canon McClean (Senior Chaplain to the 60th Division) and Captain Henry Harrison. The other sections obeyed the commands of their own leaders. Noticeable among them was the Dublin Italians of the Fascisti in the uniform of that organisation and carrying a small Italian flag.

There was in the procession a noticeable absence of flags, except those of the several branches of the Legion. One very large Union Jack on two poles was carried by a number of women of the working class, and individual women and girls among the spectators also carried small British flags. All along the route from O'Connell Bridge to the Park Gate there were no flags flown from buildings, except at the Kingsbridge Station, where the Southern Railways Company's flag in the centre was flanked by the Union Jack and the Saorstat tricolour.

All traffic was held up as the procession passed the head of O'Connell Bridge over to the North quays. The tramway service to the Park was also suspended for an hour until the parade had passed.

ORDERLY CROWDS.

All along the line of march from the start at 10.45 a.m. to the return to O'Connell Bridge at 12.15 p.m. there was not the least incident to mar the demonstration. People in their thousands marched along with the ex-Service men, densely filling the whole thoroughfare from the houses on the right to the river wall on the left. Hundreds gathered at the many bridges to see the procession pass, and many watched from the windows along the way; but not once was even a word spoken that could be regarded as out of sympathy with the proceedings. There was no cheering, singing, or other noisy expression of appreciation of the turn-out. A pleasant little incident occurred when three soldiers of the Free State Army on duty within the Esplanade enclosure stood to attention as the head of the parade was passing.

From the slight eminence at the King's Bridge one could get a fairly comprehensive idea of the dimensions and character of the procession which, from that point, could be seen coming along the wide thoroughfare stretching back to Sarsfield Bridge and not crowded in upon by the accompanying general public. There were all classes represented in the parade. Well-dressed citizens marched side by side with men whose shabby clothes proclaimed the hard times of unemployment.

Some fine old soldiers stepped out along with the youngsters of 1914-18. At the head of one section marched two veterans of the "Old 18th," the Royal Irish Regiment, whose unit could not be mistaken, for they wore the "blue and white" of the Nile, 1882. A few soldiers in khaki and one Navy man marched along with the ex-Service men. Father Newcombe, of Wicklow, a chaplain with a fine war record, was conspicuous at the head of one of the sections.

At the Kingsbridge the parade was joined by the contingents from Inchicore and Guinness's Brewery, headed by a band. The new banner of the Brewery branch of the Legion was admired as a real work of art. It is of St. Patrick's blue, heavily fringed with gold, and having the name of the branch inscribed in gold. It was a conspicuous piece of pleasant colour in the demonstration.

The end of the long procession was brought up by a large contingent of women, including a number who had served with the different auxiliary corps during the war. The rest were made up of the mothers, wives, or other relatives of dead soldiers whose medals they wore.

A GREAT THRONG.

When the parade had passed through the Park Gate the public came along in thousands, in tram cars, motors, walking and on jaunting cars. The crowds kept coming in even after the solemn culminating ceremony of the day. All the space inside the railing on the left of the Main road, right up to the Gough Statue, was thronged with people. Far out from the centre, on the outskirts of the great multitude, the two minutes' silence was observed with reverence. Even the boys in their vantage points among the tree branches restrained themselves for those solemn moments.

The march back of the parade was by the same route, and was conducted in the same orderly manner. A number of women and girls gathered behind the big Union Jack, and enlivened the march with the singing of wartime songs.

The police arrangements for the day were the subject of general praise.

Over two hundred uniformed men of the Civic Guard from the Metropolitan Divisions and from the Phœnix Park Dépôt were on duty, and as many more were among the crowds in plain clothes. A special squad of detectives was stationed in a position in the Phœnix Park from which they could cope with any attempt to interfere with the ceremony, such as that perpetrated last year.

IN THE ENCLOSURE.

Those present in the reserved enclosure during the ceremony included:—Lieutenant-General Sir Bryan Mahon, late Commander, 10th Irish Division; Major-General Sir William B. Hickie, late Commander, 16th Irish Division; General Brown-Clayton, representing the Northern Area Council of the British Legion, Northern Ireland; Brigadier-General C. J. Perceval, Sir John Lumsden, Sir John Irwin, General Twigg, Major Boyd-Rochfort, V.C.; Sir James Percy and Mr. J. H. Cooper, representing the British Legion; Major Tynan, Organising Secretary of the British Legion; Lady and the Hon. Martyn Hemphill, Captain L. Arnott, the French and Italian Consuls, Mr. J. C. M. Eason, Vice-Chairman, and Mr. David Barry, Deputy Vice-Chairman of the Dublin Chamber of Commerce; Mr. J. Stanley, representing the Royal Automobile Club; Major Charles Graham, Captain Henry Harrison, M.C.; Sir Simon Maddock, Mr. Louis Beatty, representing the Irish National War Memorial Committee; Alderman J. Hubbard Clark, the Very Rev. Canon McClean, ex-chaplain of the 10th Division; Mr. A. P. Connolly, Chairman of the British Legion of ex-Service men in Ireland; Mr. M. A. Blackadder, Canon Crozier, the Rev. P. J. Stafford, ex-chaplain to 10th Division; Mrs. T. J. O'Mara and Miss Enid Morphy, representing Queen Mary's Women's Army Auxiliary Corps; Miss Finney, representing ex-Service Women's Old Comrades' Association.

THE WREATHS.

Within half an hour after the ceremony the little wooden cross had been virtually hidden from view by wreaths. Among those from whom tributes came were:—British Legion of Southern Ireland, British Ministry of Pensions, Students of Trinity College, British Red Cross and Order of St. John, ex-Servicemen of the Amiens street staff of the Great Northern Railway, Northern Area Council of the British Legion, Committee and members of Kildare Street Club, Dublin Insurance Branch of British Legion, ex-Service Employés of Trinity College, Dublin Citizens' Remembrance Committee, L.M.S. Staff at North Wall, Messrs. W. D. and H. O. Wills, Old Comrades' Association, Association of British ex-Service men, Members of the Hibernian United Services Club, ex-Service Employés of Messrs. John Jameson and Sons, the Staff of the Irish Lights Office. Other wreaths were inscribed:—"In memory of Lieutenant-Colonel H. D. Murphy, D.S.O., M.C., 70 officers and 1,085 other ranks of the 2nd Battalion Leinster Regiment"; "In memory of the Catholic Chaplains who died in discharge of their sacred duties during the Great War"; "To men of all ranks, Dublin Fusiliers," and "to the men of all Battalions Connaught Rangers."

ROYAL HIBERNIAN MILITARY SCHOOL.

Through the courtesy of the Free State Minister for Defence, the ceremony of placing a wreath on the marble Cenotaph which is on the lawn in front of the Royal Hibernian Military School, was performed at the request of Captain James S. McMahon, representing the Royal Hibernians' Old Comrades' Association, by General Sir William Hickie, who went there after the ceremony in the Park.

The wreath, which was made by ex-Service men, was in the shape of a handsome harp, surrounded by poppies and bearing the inscription: "In loving memory of our fallen comrades from the Royal Hibernian Military School Old Comrades' Association."

This was placed at the base of the Cenotaph, upon which is inscribed the names of some hundreds of Royal Hibernians who perished in the great war.

IN THE LAW COURTS.

MEMORY OF BARRISTERS WHO FELL.

Remembrance Day was observed by members of the Bar in Dublin Castle as in former years. Yesterday the attendance was larger than that at last year's commemoration, the Bench, Bar, solicitors, and general public being very well represented. The Supreme, High Court and Circuit Court judges present were Mr. Justice Fit-Gibbon, Mr. Justice Wylie, Mr. Justice Johnston, Mr. Justice Hanna, and Judge Drumgoole.

The Senior Bar was represented by Mr. W. M. Jellett, K.C.; Mr. H. Wilson, K.C.; Mr. G. W. Walker, K.C.; Mr. [illegible] Denning, K.C.; Mr. A. A. Dickie, K.C.; Mr. E. Lupton, K.C.; Mr. T. S. M'Cann, K.C.; Mr. G. Oulton, K.C.; Mr. A. K. Overend, K.C.; Mr. E. J. Phelps, K.C.; Mr. F. W. Price, K.C.; Mr. T. S. Battersby, K.C.; Mr. A. F. Blood, K.C.; Mr. W. H. Carson, K.C.; Mr. K. Dockrell, K.C.; Mr. J. M. Fitzgerald, K.C.; Mr. J. Geoghegan, K.C.; Mr. Hamilton, K.C.; Mr. R. G. Leonard, K.C.; Mr. M. C. Maguire, K.C.; Mr. V. Rice, K.C.; and Mr. W. Shannon, K.C.

Members of the Junior Bar present were:—Miss A. Deverell, Miss F. E. Moran, Messrs. — Barry, M. Binchy, A. Bolton, H. C. Bowen, A. Burne, J. Conway, Campbell, Clancy, A. Corbett, J. Dorgan, Dillon, [illegible] Hungerford, E. Kelly, Kirwin, Linehan, M'Carthy, G. MacLaine, T. G. Marnan, Matheson, H. Moloney, William Murphy, R. Murray, F. O'Connor, George O'Connor, Captain Patterson, Messrs. H. Poole, J. Reardon, R. Rice, P. J. Roe, J. H. S. Russell (hon. secretary Bar Council), F. T. Sweeney, W. C. Sainsbury, George Shannon, Maurice Walker, J. Walsh, and V. Wilson.

Amongst the solicitors present were Mr. J. Russell Stritch, Mr. Seddall, and Mr. Gerald Byrne.

A few minutes before 11 o'clock the company, wearing poppies, assembled at the Bar Memorial Bronze. Mr. Robert Murray, father of the Irish Bar, came forward with a wreath of poppies, which he placed at the foot of the memorial, saying: "On behalf of the Bar of Ireland I place this wreath at the foot of the memorial in memory of members of the Irish Bar who fell in the Great War." Following him came Mr. E. J. Phelps, K.C., bearing another wreath of poppies in memory of [illegible] Culligan, from Mrs. Culligan and his brothers and sisters; and Major O'Brien Twohig, with a wreath of white chrysanthemums on behalf of the Plunkett family, while a fourth wreath of laurel and poppies was added to the memory of Sub-Lieutenant Gerald Plunkett, from his mother, sisters and brothers.

When the clock struck 11, Mr. John Campion, of the Law Library, sounded a bell, and all present remained in solemn silence until the bell was rung again on the expiration of two minutes.

The ceremony was simple, but impressive, and at 11.15 the business of the Courts was commenced.

At the Central Criminal Court, Green street, yesterday, the two minutes' silence was observed at 11 o'clock. The Malahide murder case was being tried, and the Court was crowded. Mr. Justice O'Byrne, the members of the Bar, the jury, the police and general public, all stood with bowed heads for two minutes, after which the business of the Court proceeded. The prisoner, Henry M'Cabe, stood in the dock with folded hands during the interval.

SHORTHAND TYPISTS AND TYPISTS (Saorstat Civil Service—Open Competition). Last examination, July, 1925. 21 Successes at Typists exam. and 10 Successes at Shorthand Typists exam. were gained by Students of SKERRY'S COLLEGE, 76 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin. BEST RESULT. Oral and Correspondence Classes working.—(Advt.)

LIVELY SCENES IN DUBLIN.

THE "ANTI-IMPERIALISTS'" OUTBURST.

BATON CHARGE BY CIVIC GUARDS.

Although there were many discreditable incidents in Dublin yesterday, there was nothing in the nature of serious rioting, and in no district had the Civic Guards difficulty in coping with the disorderly element.

Opposition to the ex-Service men's parade and to Poppy Day appeared to have been carefully organised, and between 300 and 400 men and women were concerned in it. Divided into gangs, they moved about the city snatching poppies from peaceable citizens and molesting ex-Service men. One gang, larger than the others, attacked two policemen in Dawson street, and broke into the offices of the Representative Body in St. Stephen's Green in order to remove a Union Jack from a window.

It is greatly to the credit of the ex-Service men that, although they received great provocation, they preserved perfect discipline and refused to be drawn into a row.

PROCESSION ATTACKED.

As the ex-Service men were passing the junction of D'Olier and Westmoreland street a crowd of between 200 and 300 men and boys, also marching in military formation, came from the direction of Westmoreland street and headed as if to cut straight across the procession, their leaders shouting, "Here we are again" and "Up the Republic."

Many of the ex-Service men were ready to fall out of the ranks in order to get back as quickly as possible to their places of business and homes. When the officer in charge saw that a collision was possible, however, he gave the order, "Close ranks and march." This was immediately obeyed. A few women, all of whom wore poppies, with the intention of preventing a collision, wedged themselves in between the two parties, and some of them got rough handling. This caused some excitement, which lasted for a few minutes, during which poppies and other emblems were snatched from the coats of several persons. A few scuffles followed, but none of a serious character.

OLD MAN BEATEN.

The crowd shouted "Up the Republic" and marched alongside the ex-Service men. Half-way along D'Olier street a nasty incident occurred. An old man, wearing a poppy, was beaten by members of the crowd, and a road repairer went to his rescue. The crowd turned on him, and in order to defend himself he took up a pickaxe with which he had been working a few moments before. With the handle of it he attempted to ward off his attackers, one of whom stabbed him with a penknife, inflicting several gashes on his hands.

Another scuffle took place just outside the Red Bank Restaurant. A number of youths were engaged in it, but it was quickly quelled by a number of Civic Guards, who used their batons vigorously.

FLAG-SNATCHER CAUGHT.

When order was restored the processionists moved forward, and as they did so a man seated on a stationary tramcar snatched one of the Union Jacks that the ex-Service men were carrying. Then he took a bottle from his pocket and threw it into the middle of the procession. Fortunately, nobody was injured. The man was taken into custody.

There were many motor cars in the city during the morning and early afternoon, the majority of which, both on the bonnets and inside, were decorated with poppies and Union Jacks. When some of these cars came to a stand-still the decorations were torn off the bonnets.

A saloon motor car which was outside the poppy distributing dépôt in Dawson street was attacked by a gang. A smoke bomb was thrown into the bonnet of the car, and some of the windows were smashed. The bomb was immediately put out of action by a hand fire extinguisher used by the owner of the car.

CHURCH OF IRELAND OFFICES.

The Union Jack flying from the offices of the Representative Body of the Church of Ireland, 52 St. Stephen's Green, was removed by some members of a crowd who were wearing the Free State colours and described themselves as "anti-Imperialists." When they observed the flag they rushed at the door, and, though they knocked long and hard, they received no reply, as all the members of the staff were out.

A man climbed through a window and opened the door. Two other men entered. As they were pulling in the flag from the staff some of the officials returned and protested against the conduct of the crowd. The protest called forth the remarks: "You have no right to fly that flag. This is Ireland, not England. We are Irish. We do not want that flag." A woman snatched the poppy that one of these officials was wearing, but she was prevailed on by some policeman to return it.

In the excitement three men succeeded in getting clear with the flag. Followed by the crowd, they trailed it along the street as far as College Green.

IN COLLEGE GREEN.

They arrived at the Green shortly after the two minutes' silence had been observed by some thousands of citizens who had assembled there for the purpose. The "anti-Imperialists" sang the "Soldier's Song" and those who had observed the period of silence countered with "God Save the King." The "anti-Imperialists" went over to the base of King William's statue, and, as they were going in the direction of Trinity College, a body of police ordered them to disperse. An attempt was made to burn the Union Jack, but this the police prevented, and the flag was then torn.

The two minutes' silence was broken in College Green by the unseemly conduct of two women, one of whom kept shouting, "Up the Republic." When she ceased the howl was taken up by her companion. The latter was encircled by a number of those who had observed the silence, who sang several verses of "God Save the King" and "Rule Britannia."

MEN ARRESTED.

Because of their threatening demeanour at College Green in the afternoon when the crowds were returning from the Phœnix Park, several men were taken into custody. All of them carried blackthorn sticks, and the Civic Guards felt it would be better for themselves and everybody else to restrain their movements for the evening.

Two policemen doing duty in Dawson street were attacked by a crowd with sticks, and had difficulty in defending themselves until reinforcements arrived. Three men were taken into custody.

An ex-Service man was attacked by a hostile crowd in King street. He was rescued by a clergyman, and taken to hospital for treatment.

A crowd of about 300 persons halted outside the Royal Irish Automobile Club, Dawson street, and demanded that the Union Jack should be taken down. Two young men started to climb up the outside of the building, and the occupants of the premises—mainly ladies—fearing violence pulled in the flag.

FLAG RECOVERED.

The same crowd went to O'Connell Bridge, and came into collision with a body of ex-Service men, who were carrying a small Union Jack. The crowd succeeded in capturing the flag, but after a brief fight, in which sticks were used, the ex-Service men recovered it.

The Tara street ambulance received under a dozen calls during the day, about half of which were in connection with the ex-Service men's display. There were four cases of weakness and one of assault. A man named McKenna was taken to Jervis street Hospital, where he was treated for a scalp wound received in a scuffle which took place in Foster place.

UNION JACK BURNED.

Following a meeting in Sackville street, which was addressed by the Rev. M. Flanagan, Mr. Eamonn Donnelly, M.P., and Mr. C. Murphy, T.D., a Union Jack was publicly burned. Another was burned in College Green.

Several baton charges took place in Sackville street, where the police had considerable difficulty in dispersing the crowds. The police made a further charge in Fleet street.

Several people were treated by St. John ambulance men for slight injuries and shock sustained in the rushes of the crowds.

A number of men were arrested for poppy-snatching.

FLAG-SNATCHER FINED.

Edward O'Donoghue, a Dublin Corporation rent collector, was brought before Mr. Collins in the Dublin District Court yesterday afternoon. He was charged with being guilty of disorderly conduct by tearing a Union Jack from a member of the procession, and also with throwing a bottle from a tramcar into the crowd.

John Maguire, an ex-soldier, of North Brunswick street, who wore military medals, said that he saw the defendant, who was on the top of a tramcar, pull a Union Jack from one of the ex-Service men and tear it up. Having seized the flag, he threw a bottle, but it did not strike anyone.

Patrick McMahon, who said that he was an ex-member of the Royal Dublin Fusiliers and was proud of it, stated that he came in the procession from the Phœnix Park, where they did not hear a murmur of objection. In D'Olier street he saw the defendant pull the Union Jack from one of those in front. The police went to his assistance; otherwise there might have been trouble.

A Guard gave evidence to the effect that the accused man was saved from the violence of a hostile crowd by him, and that the tramcar had to go back to College Station with the prisoner.

The prisoner denied interfering with the Union Jack or throwing a bottle. He said that he saw no flag at all.

Mr. Collins refused to accept the prisoner's statement, and imposed a fine of £4 for the two offences.

THE COASTAL TOWNSHIPS.

The ex-Service men from Bray and district, headed by two bands, marched to the railway station yesterday morning and travelled by special train to Dublin, where they participated in the Armistice Day procession. Those from Kingstown and the adjoining districts were also accompanied by a band.

Special Services were held in Bray, Killiney, Dalkey, Glenageary, Kingstown, Monkstown and Blackrock Parish Churches.

At the Orthopædic Hospital, Blackrock, Remembrance Day was observed by the staff and patients.

Everywhere in the streets in the coastal townships the red poppy was in evidence, being worn by all classes of people.

Bray ex-Service men next Sunday will hold a Remembrance Day ceremony at the memorial cross, which was erected some years ago in Quinsboro' road, Bray.

Under the auspices of the Institution of Electrical Engineers, Mr. R. Borlase Matthews will deliver a lecture on "Electro-Farming," in the Physical Laboratory, Trinity College, Dublin, to-night.

WIDESPREAD OBSERVANCE IN IRELAND—NORTH AND SOUTH.

LEINSTER.

ENNISCORTHY.—Mass was celebrated in Enniscorthy Cathedral, and a special Service was held in St. Mary's Church.

GOREY.—A Service in Christ Church was conducted by Canon Willis, B.D., Rector, assisted by the Rev. W. E. Vandeleur, M.A., Kiltennel. At 11 o'clock, when the bell rang out, the two minutes' silence was observed. The Flanders poppies had a ready sale.

DROGHEDA.—Solemn Requiem Mass was offered in St. Peter's at 10 o'clock. Ex-Service men, numbering about one hundred, then marched to the memorial cross at Dublin road, where, in company with a large body of civilians, they observed the two minutes' silence. Many beautiful wreaths were laid on the cenotaph.

ATHLONE.—Special Services were held in St. Mary's Protestant Church. The Rev. W. C. de Pauley, D.D., preached, and the special music was rendered by the joint choirs of St. Mary's and St. Peter's Churches. The two minutes' silence was also observed. Many poppies were displayed, and the occasion passed off without incident.

MARYBOROUGH.—The branch of the Legion paraded outside their club premises at 9 a.m. and marched to Ss. Peter and Paul's Church, where a Requiem Mass was celebrated by the Right Rev. Monsignor Murphy. As the men entered the church the Legion band played a funeral march. The Church of Ireland members attended at St. Peter's Church, where the special Service was taken by the Rev. W. J. Willis, Rector. At the general parade at the club, under the command of Captain Kane, the two minutes' silence was observed. Poppy sellers reaped a good harvest.

WEXFORD.—A large congregation, fully representative of all classes, attended 10.40 a.m. Service in St. Iberius's Church, which was suitably decorated with flowers. The Service was short, but deeply impressive, the two minutes' silence being reverently observed to the stroke of 11 a.m. On the conclusion "The Last Post" was sounded by four buglers from the Willie Redmond Branch of the British Legion Club. A prayer and the Benediction following, brought the Service to a close. Amongst the decorations, two beautiful wreaths were laid at the foot of the memorial pulpit just before the Service commenced by ex-Service men, sent from ex-Service members and members of the British Legion. A sale of poppies, superintended by a committee of the Relief Fund, British Legion, was actively carried on in the town in spite of the inclement weather. The collections in churches last Sunday for Earl Haig's Fund were well supported.

MOUNTMELLICK.—About 450 ex-Service men wearing medals and decorations made a most imposing display, when they marched from the '98 Monument in Pound street to the Catholic Church. Afterwards the Protestant and Catholic ex-Service men "formed up" in the market square, and the "two minutes'" silence was observed. The "Last Post" was sounded, and the Protestant section entered their church, where a wreath was laid on the memorial tablet of the late Captain Arthur Neale. Mr. Victor Smith, the chairman of Mountmellick ex-Legion's Branch addressed the parade before it was dismissed, and congratulated them on the turn out, which was "carried out in the best traditions of the British Army." Mr. McDonald said that it was in the spirit of remembrance for the dead that "Poppy" Day was being kept.

DUNDALK.—During the celebrations in St. Nicholas' Protestant Church, which was attended by three or four hundred people, including members of the general public, ex-Service men, Boy Scouts, and Girl Guides, shots were heard. It is believed that these were fired by some person, with a view of interrupting the two minutes' silence, but they were mistimed, and took place as the organ was playing the Reveille.

MUNSTER.

CAHIR.—The two minutes' silence was observed by over 60 ex-Servicemen, and the "Last Post" sounded. Nearly everyone wore a poppy.

CLONMEL.—At 11 o'clock the two minutes' silence was observed, and General Kellett afterwards placed a wreath at the foot of the South African War Memorial in memory of the fallen, and subsequently addressed the ex-Service men. Ex-Service men to the number of 150 attended Services in the Franciscan Church and St. Mary's Protestant Church.

LIMERICK.—A Service was held in St. Mary's Cathedral, Limerick, and a large congregation observed the two minutes' silence.

YOUGHAL.—There was a very general display of poppies here. A Memorial Service was held in St. Mary's Collegiate Church, the Rev. W. V. Darling, Rector (an ex-war chaplain) officiating. A large congregation was present.

WATERFORD.—The two minutes' silence was observed in the business establishments. The British Legion Band played the "Dead March" outside the club, and then proceeded to Ballybricken Churchyard, where the two minutes' silence was observed. Wreaths were laid on the graves of deceased ex-Servicemen, and an oration was delivered by Colonel J. V. Haughton, O.B.E. Colonel Edward Garraway assisted, and subsequently addressed the members of the Legion at the club premises.

ENNIS.—About 150 members of the British Legion assembled at their local headquarters, under the command of Major G. Studdert, wearing their military decorations. Preceded by the Ennis Fife and Drum Band, the parade marched four deep to the Franciscan Church, where a Requiem Mass was celebrated. After Mass the parade proceeded to O'Connell square, where the two minutes' silence was observed at 11 a.m. In the afternoon a special Service, which was attended by a large congregation, was conducted by the Very Rev. Canon Griffin at the Protestant church.

TEMPLEMORE.—The Legion of Ex-Service men had High Mass celebrated at Templemore yesterday for those of their comrades who fell in the Great War. Father O'Brien, P.P., was celebrant. Thanksgiving and Remembrance Service was also held at the same hour—10 o'clock—by Archdeacon White. After the religious ceremonies the men fell in and marched through the town carrying their flag. Having reached the market square at 10.55 they were halted, the Last Post was sounded by a bugler, and the two minutes' silence was observed. The parade was inspected by General Parker, Nenagh, who was accompanied by Lieut.-Colonel R. A. Lidwell and Captain A. Carden, D.L.

FERMOY.—At 7.45 a.m. the ex-Service men in this once famous garrison town turned out in full force in Pearse square, and under the command of Captain Magnier, M.C., they marched to 8 o'clock Mass at St. Patrick's Church. The men were preceded by a fife and drum band playing Irish airs. At a few minutes to 11 o'clock the men again gathered on Pearse square, wearing their decorations. Included in the parade were men who served in all parts in the Great War. The regiments included the Connaught Rangers, the Munsters, the Leinsters, the Dublin Fusiliers, the Royal Irish, the Warwicks and the Liverpools, as well as some cavalry regiments. The men were under the command of Captain Magnier and Lieut. Crosbie. At 11 o'clock the Last Post was sounded by Bugler W. Sandles, after which the two minutes' silence was observed. The men subsequently paraded with their band through the principal streets, after which they returned to the square where they dismissed.

NENAGH.—A large body of ex-Service men assembled at their club in Wolfe Tone terrace, Nenagh, wearing their medals and decorations under the command of General Koe, and headed by the brass and reed band. Memorial Services were held in both Protestant and Catholic churches. The men then lined up in Castle street, where the two minutes' silence was observed, and the "Last Post" sounded.

CONNAUGHT.

BALLINA.—Over 150 ex-Service men marched to the Cathedral. Special Services were also held in the Protestant and Methodist churches.

CASTLEREA.—Service was conducted in the Protestant Church by the Rev. Canon Forde, Rector, Castlerea, at which a large congregation was present. A large number of ex-Service men wearing poppies and their medals and decorations paraded the town.

BOYLE.—Ex-Service men, in command of Lieutenant-Colonel Smyth, late Connaught Rangers, observed the two minutes' silence. The Right Hon. Sir Thomas Stafford, Bart., participated in the ceremonies. Afterwards a newly-erected ex-Service men's hall near the town was officially opened. Poppies were sold in the streets during the day by ex-Service men, and were widely worn.

ULSTER.

DONEGAL.—In County Donegal there were observances in a large number of places. The two minutes' silence was observed by large numbers of ex-Service men, and parades of ex-soldiers took place, in which bands also took part. In East Donegal flags were flown. In the Donegal parades at the different places hundreds of ex-soldiers participated.

BALLYBAY.—The celebrations were largely attended. Many ex-Service men from the country, accompanied by friends, travelled long distances to attend the Services in the churches.

NORTHERN IRELAND.

COOKSTOWN.—Armistice Day was observed in a more formal manner than in previous years. A temporary wooden cross, with the words: "Our Glorious Dead," was erected on the site of the cenotaph by the local British Legion, and a short but impressive ceremony took place in the presence of a large crowd. All traffic was suspended during the two minutes' silence. While sounding the Réveille the bugler collapsed in front of the cross. Two constables, however, caught him and carried him to a neighbouring house, and Captain Cramsey, of the Salvation Army, started the hymn, "O God, our help in ages past," followed by the National Anthem.

CLONES.—There was a becoming observance of Armistice Day at Clones, where the two minutes' silence was joined in by all those having sympathy for the fallen soldier. In the evening a parade of ex-Service men took place, and a Service was held at the Protestant church. The day being market day there was a ready sale for the poppies, which were worn by all creeds and classes. There was no incident.

LISBURN.—The inhabitants of Lisburn observed the Day of Remembrance by a solemn and brief religious ceremony at the war memorial in Castle street. The officiating clergy were the Revs. Canon Taylor, J. J. C. Breakey, R. H. S. Cooper, and F. H. Scott Maguire. All traffic was stopped and work suspended. A wreath, on behalf of the townspeople, was placed at the memorial by Mr. W. J. Law, Chairman of the Urban Council.

HILLSBOROUGH.—The ceremony was attended by the Governor of Northern Ireland, who was accompanied by Lieut.-Commander Oscar Henderson, C.B., D.S.O., R.N. Members of the old Castle guard were posted at the War Memorial, and the guard of honour was formed by the Worcester Regiment, under Lieut. R. Saunders, and representatives of the British Legion, B. Special Constabulary, Boy Scouts and Girl Guides were present. The Duke laid a wreath at the Memorial on behalf of the people of Northern Ireland.

ENNISKILLEN.—It was the largest and most impressive celebration of Armistice Day, and all sections of the public united in taking part in the ceremony at the Great War Memorial. The parade of ex-Service men was under the command of Major Sir Charles Falls, M.P., D.L., who had with him Major Sproule Miles, T.D., and Captain Eadie, Lisbellaw. Many ex-officers marched with the men, who were headed by the local Orange pipe band, the Grattan (Nationalist) flute band, and the Ballyreag (Orange) brass band. The Urban Council officially attended at the War Memorial, and other bodies which were represented were the Enniskillen Rural Council, the Constabulary, under the command of Captain R. L. Murray, M.C.; Boy Scouts, under Commissioner Irwin and Colonel Darley, D.S.O.; the Brownies, the Girl Guides, the Salvation Army, the Model School pupils. After the two minutes' silence, the National Anthem was sung and wreaths were placed on the memorial. A Memorial Service followed in the Cathedral church.

PORTADOWN.—A large gathering assembled in front of the War Memorial in Market street. A factory horn was sounded at 10.45, and "For all the saints who from their labours rest" was sung, led by a mixed choir, under the conductorship of Mr. W. F. Wood, organist of the parish church. The "Last Post" was then sounded for the two minutes' silence. All work and traffic was suspended until the silence was broken by the "Réveille" and the singing of "O God, our Help in Ages Past." The impressive Service closed with the National Anthem, after which wreaths were deposited at the memorial in memory of the fallen. Mr. D. Rock, M.B.E., Chairman of the Town Council, laid the wreath on behalf of the citizens, while the tribute from the British Legion was laid by Colonel Blacker and Major D. G. Shillington, M.P. Flanders poppies found a ready sale.

NEWCASTLE.—The ex-Service men paraded at the railway station and marched to the Blackrock eminence, where the two minutes' silence was observed round a captured German gun. A wreath of the British Legion was then placed on the cenotaph by Lord Roden and Captain Thornhill, Chairman of the local branch. The procession returned to the railway station, where Brigadier-General Ross delivered an address. The entire stock of poppies was sold early in the day. It is hoped that by next Armistice Day a monument worthy of the town's record in the war will have been erected.

BALLYMENA.—All business premises and public works were closed from 10.30 till 11.30. There was a large gathering at the Memorial Park, where the members of the British Legion, Boy Scouts and Girl Guides paraded, and a Service was conducted by the Rev. W. J. Hanson, B.A. The members of the Ballymena Urban Council attended, and Mr. John Morrow, J.P., Chairman, placed a wreath at the base of the memorial. The various organisations in the town also laid wreaths on the memorial. After the sounding of the "Last Post" the two minutes' silence was observed.

STEWARTSTOWN.—Shortly before 11 a.m. a large crowd of the general public, ex-Service men and relatives assembled round the memorial in the Square, Stewartstown, all wearing poppies. Wreath were placed on the base of the war memorial by Lady Charlemont and others.

ARMAGH.—The two minutes' silence was observed at 11 o'clock. A special Service was held in St. Patrick's Cathedral, and flags were flown from many of the public buildings and business establishments.

LURGAN.—The two minutes' silence was observed in the town by all classes. The poppy was very generally worn. In the Parish Church a short Service was held by the Rev. Canon Hannon, M.A., Rector, assisted by the Revs. Moore and Johnston, curates. At Waringstown (three miles distant) a Service was held at the village memorial.

NEWRY.—At 10.30 a parade of the British Legion of ex-Service men, R.U.C. and Special Constables was inspected at the military barracks by the Earl of Kilmorey, D.L. After the parade the presentation of a blue and gold Standard with the Union Jack was made to the Newry Branch of the British Legion by the Earl of Kilmorey. Mr. Benjamin Kernaghan received the Standard on behalf of the Legion. The parade, headed by the Frontier Pipe Band, then marched to Margaret square, where a temporary cenotaph to "the memory of our glorious dead, 1914-18," had been erected. Here a hollow square was formed, lined by the R.U.C., the "B" Special Constabulary, the ex-Service men, Cadets of the King's Royal Rifles, Boy Scouts and school children. Following the lament, "The Flowers of the Forest," by the pipe band, the "Last Post" was sounded and the two minutes' silence was observed, after which the buglers sounded "The Reveille." Wreaths were then deposited at the cenotaph. Afterwards the Roman Catholic section of the Legion, headed by St. Joseph's Brass and Reed Band, attended Requiem Mass in the Cathedral, and the Protestant section a remembrance Service in St. Mary's Church, where the preacher was the Rev. W. Jasper Robinson, C.F., Methodist Minister.

DERRY.—Thousands of people assembled in the Diamond, where, at the site of the war memorial, homage to the heroic dead was paid by the troops of the garrison, members of the various public bodies, and the citizens generally. The Mayor and members of the Corporation, headed by the City Sword and Mace bearers and the Serjeants-at-Mace, marched in processional order from the Guildhall to the Diamond. The band of the 1st Battalion the Sherwood Foresters played Chopin's Funeral March, and afterwards the military guard of honour, under Lieutenant Morris, presented arms, and subsequently stood with their heads bowed while a score of buglers sounded the "Last Post." The beginning of the two minutes' silence was signalised by the discharge of a rocket from the Governor Walker Memorial Pillar. At the conclusion of the two minutes' silence the trumpeters sounded the *Réveille*, and the band played "Land of Hope and Glory," while those present joined in singing the chorus. The ceremony concluded with the singing of the National Anthem, to the accompaniment of the band. The Mayor, on behalf of the Corporation; Mr. McConnell, on behalf of the Harbour Board; and Mr. Robinson, on behalf of the Rotary Club, placed laurel wreaths on the site of the War Memorial. Four hundred ex-Service men received food tickets value 5s. as a Remembrance Day gift, the money being provided from the balance of war funds in the hands of the Londonderry voluntary war workers. The British Legion supplied 23 laurel wreaths for the different war memorials in the city. One of these was placed on the grave of Brigadier-General Ricardo, C.M.G., D.S.O., Sion Mills.

DUNGANNON.—The largest parade seen here took place under Major T. C. H. Dickson, M.C., R.U.C. Coinciding with the half-yearly hiring fair, the Market Square was thronged with thousands of country folk, wearing Flanders poppies, who reverently stood with bared heads while the "Last Post" was sounded and the two minutes' silence observed.

STRABANE.—There was no procession as on previous occasions. The church bell signalled the observance of the two minutes' silence by tolling, after which the memorial chimes played the hymn: "Oh God our help in ages past," and concluding with "God Save the King." An army of young ladies made a circuit of the town selling poppies.

MONS MEMORIAL

UNVEILED BY SIR NEVIL MACREADY.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

MONS, Thursday.

In the presence of a large and reverent crowd, the British war memorial commemorating the deaths of a million British soldiers in the Great War was unveiled here to-day in the beautiful Gothic Cathedral of Saint Waudru, only a few miles from the lines where the "old contemptibles" first tasted the barbarism of modern warfare on August 23, 1914.

The ceremony was performed by General Sir Nevil Macready, who was Adjutant-General of the British Expeditionary Force in 1914. The memorial bears a Latin inscription recalling the death of one million British soldiers in the Great War for right and liberty. Above are emblazoned the arms of Great Britain and the Dominions.

The religious Service, which preceded the inauguration, was most appropriately arranged and beautifully carried out. It began with the fine rendering of an anthem by the collegiate choir. Monsignor de Crey, the doyen of the Mons clergy, after welcoming the British authorities, pictured the heroism of the "contemptible little army" in glowing terms, which brought tears to the eyes of many in the great congregation.

Sir Nevil Macready then drew aside the British flag which covered the memorial, and said: "Let us not forget our gallant dead. May they rest in peace."

In the interval for silent prayer which followed, the British and Belgian anthems were softly played on the organ.

Many beautiful wreaths from the British and Belgian authorities, and many private sympathisers, were reverently laid beside the memorial.

Limerick Fishery Board.—Limerick Fishery Board at its meeting had before it the estimate of the Secretary for the year ending September 30th next. It provided for a renewal of £3,527. The expenditure was estimated at £5,360. The estimate was adopted.

IN THE CHURCHES.

IMPRESSIVE SERVICES.

In most of the Protestant churches in Dublin special Services were held for the observance of the solemn silence. Collections were made for Earl Haig's Fund, the proceeds to be devoted to the needs of members of the Legion in the Free State.

The Archbishop of Dublin attended the Litany and Holy Communion Service at Christ Church Cathedral.

The Service commenced with the singing of the first verse of "God Save the King," followed by the Litany and prayers offered up from the pulpit by the Dean (Canon Kennedy), who, as it approached 11 o'clock, said: "Let us remember those who gave their lives for the cause of truth and righteousness, justice and liberty in the Great War."

As the hour struck the Dean said: "Let us concentrate our thoughts in silent recollection and thanksgiving for those who gave their lives for us in the Great War for the space of two minutes."

After an impressive silence prayers were offered for the League of Nations and the country.

Addressing the congregation, the Dean said that Remembrance Day was a call to them to see that those who gave their lives were not forgotten. They remembered with pride and gratitude their glorious dead who died for them. On that day they were also to remember the living—those who went out and came back. Thousands were maimed for life—lame, blind, tubercular and mentally afflicted; and there was a great host of widows and orphans as well. It was true that provision had been made by the State in a way that had never been done before, but it was quite inadequate, and there was still urgent need that it should be supplemented by voluntary effort; for it was nothing less than a debt of honour.

In the evening the bells of St. Patrick's Cathedral were pealed by ex-Service members of the Irish Association of Change Ringers. Those who took part were:—G. Lindoff, R.E. (conductor); E. Rutman, R.A.S.C.; R. Tait and G. Wilmot, R.A.M.C.; J. B. Tough, R.C.C.; D. Gibson, C.I.; M. Hogan, R.D.F., and J. Johnston, R.H.A.

CROSSAKIEL EX-SERVICE MEN.

A contingent from the Crossakiel Branch of the British Legion, headed by Captain Booker, M.C., travelled to Dublin yesterday for the purpose of taking part in the Remembrance Day celebrations. On Sunday the branch held a special meeting, and a large number of members from as far away as Clonmellon, Loughcrew, Oldcastle, in addition to all the local members, attended. They were addressed by Captain Booker, who congratulated them on their turn-out.

REMEMBRANCE DAY IN BELFAST.

IMPRESSIVE CEREMONY.

OTHER NORTHERN CELEBRATIONS.

Belfast yesterday observed Remembrance Day with due solemnity. There were special Services in the various city churches, and public demonstrations were held in several districts. The principal one took place at the cenotaph in the grounds of the City Hall, where a platform had been erected in front of the Queen Victoria Memorial Statue. Here the Lord Mayor, the members of the Corporation, and other representatives of civil and of military interests were accommodated during the ceremony. Donegall square and Donegall place were crowded with citizens wearing the Flanders poppy, and the roofs and windows of the many neighbouring shops and warehouses were packed.

THE PROCESSION.

The Remembrance ceremony began at half-past ten o'clock, when a procession, headed by the Lord Mayor (Mr. William Turner), walked from the City Hall to the platform. With the Lord Mayor were the High Sheriff (Alderman Oswald Jamison), the ex-Lord Mayors, the Town Clerk (Sir Robert Meyer), and the City Chamberlain (Sir Frederick Moneypenny). The Governor of Northern Ireland was represented by Lieutenant-Colonel McClintock, C.V.O., and the Prime Minister by Mr. C. H. Blackmore, C.B.E. There were also present the Bishop of Down (Right Rev. Dr. Grierson), the Moderator of the General Assembly (Right Rev. R. K. Hanna), and the President of the Methodist Church in Ireland (the Rev. E. B. Cullen).

The following represented His Majesty's Forces:—

The Royal Navy—Lieutenant-Commander C. M. Stack, R.N.; Paymaster Lieutenant-Commander White, R.N.R.; and Lieutenant G. F. Gilliland, R.N.V.R.

The Army—The General Officer Commanding Northern Ireland District, Major-General F. F. Ready, C.B., C.S.I., C.M.G., D.S.O.

The Royal Air Force—Wing-Commander A. C. Wright, A.F.C.

The Royal Ulster Constabulary—The Inspector-General (Colonel Sir Charles Wickham, D.S.O.).

Captain E. Black represented the Mercantile Marine.

Sentries of the Depôt, Royal Ulster Rifles, were on duty at the Cenotaph, and near it was a guard of honour of the First Battalion Durham Light Infantry under Captain E. T. Heslop.

The band of the Durham Light Infantry played Elgar's "Pomp and Circumstance," and then the choir of the Philharmonic Society led the vast crowd in the hymn, "O God, our help in ages past." There were further selections by the band, and at eleven o'clock the Union Jack was lowered to halfmast, the "Last Post" was sounded, and the two minutes' silence was observed. Then the flag was raised, the Reveille was bugled forth, and the hymn, "Now the Labourer's task is o'er" was followed by the National Anthem.

THE WREATHS.

Many beautiful wreaths were placed upon the Cenotaph. Of these, the principal was that placed by the Lord Mayor on behalf of the citizens. Its inscription was: "In memory of our gallant dead." Others who sent or placed wreaths were the Governor of Northern Ireland and the Duchess of Abercorn, the Prime Minister, the Royal Navy, the Army, and the Royal Air Force, the Royal Ulster Constabulary, the Mercantile Marine, the British Legion, the Ulster ex-Service Men's Association, etc.

After the ceremony outside the City Hall, Major A. H. Mulholland, M.C., with Major Harper, Mr. R. Stewart, Chairman, and Mr. R. Hynds, secretary of the Young Citizens Volunteers, went to the eastern staircase of the Hall and placed a wreath on the statue erected there in memory of their fallen comrades.

THE HIGH COURTS.

In the High Courts of Northern Ireland the Judges, members of the Bar and of the solicitors' profession gathered with the Court officers and the public in the Central Hall, where the Lord Chief Justice placed a wreath at the foot of the memorial tablet. The wreath was inscribed: "In memory of six members of the former North-East Bar who fought and nobly died for King and country during the Great War, 1914-18. Laid here by the Bench and Bar of Northern Ireland, November, 1926." There was the usual observance of the two minutes' silence, and the buglers who sounded the Last Post and the Réveille were supplied by the West Yorkshire Regiment.

SERVICE AT THE CATHEDRAL.

Representatives of the Northern Government, and of the various public bodies attended the special Service in Belfast Cathedral.

The Dean (the Very Rev. H. R. Brett), in the course of his address, said that the commonwealth of men and of nations could be established only by men approved in heart and great in soul, who laboured not for ambition, nor for fame, nor for riches, but for the glory of God, and worked for their fellowmen. Perhaps, in God's name, there were great things to be done. Let them now pray to God to give them grace and strength to take their part in doing those great things.

Then came the silence, and it was followed by prayer and the singing of the National Anthem.

THE DAY IN CORK.

MEMORIAL SERVICE IN ST. FINBAR'S CATHEDRAL.

A special Memorial Service was held in St. Finbar's Cathedral, Cork, at which the Right Rev. Dr. Dowse, Bishop of Cork, Cloyne and Ross, presided. The church was thronged, and the congregation included a large number of ex-Service men and relatives and friends of men killed during the war. The ceremonies started at a quarter to eleven and at eleven o'clock the two minutes' silence was duly observed. A Communion Service followed, at which there was also a large attendance.

Shortly before eleven o'clock the buglers of the British Legion sounded the Last Post, and for two minutes the large crowd present stood to attention. The Reveille was then sounded.

The Independent Ex-Service Men took up their positions near the memorial to their fallen comrades on the South Mall. The Last Post was sounded and the silence observed. At the conclusion the Réveille was sounded. Several beautiful wreaths were placed at the foot of the memorial.

Poppies were extensively worn in the city during the day.

MEMORIAL UNVEILED IN TULLAMORE.

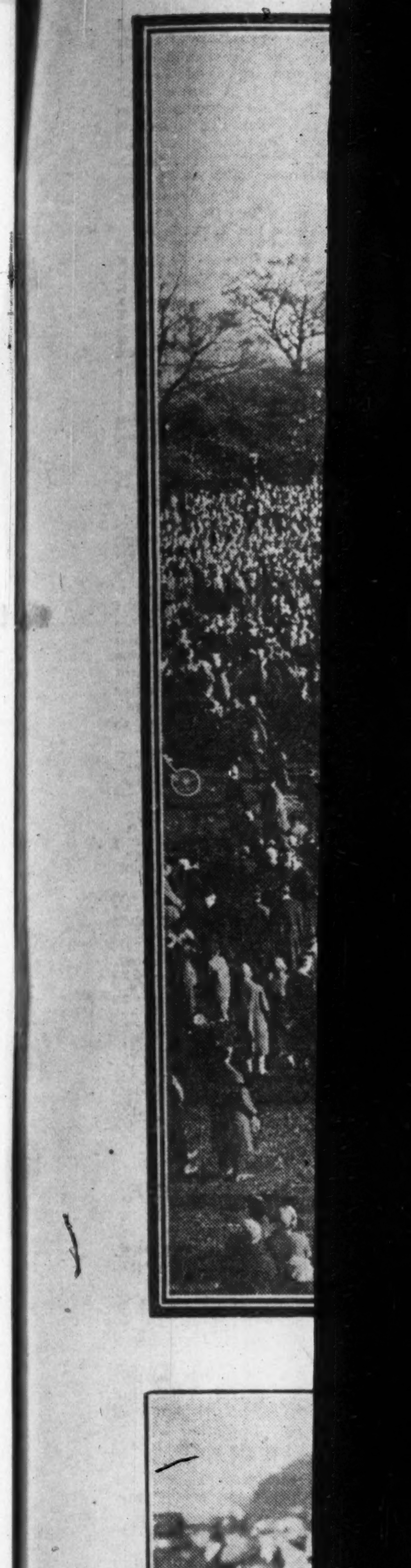
The ceremony of unveiling the Memorial, erected at Charleville Square, Tullamore, to the memory of King's County men who died in the Great War took place yesterday, Brigadier-General Lloyd performing the ceremony, and there was a large attendance of the general public, leading citizens, and hundreds of war veterans wearing medals and decorations.

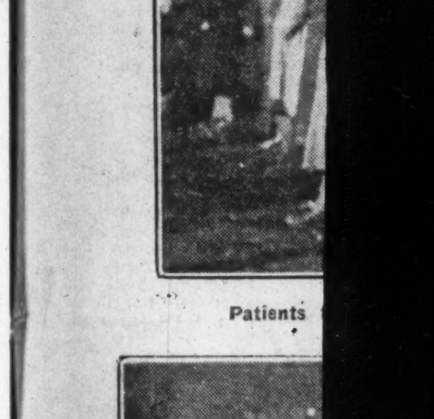
After a parade through the town, a hollow square was formed around the memorial, and Major Sherlock, M.C., Chairman of the Memorial Committee, introduced General Lloyd. The memorial, Major Sherlock said, owed its inception to a Tullamore citizen, Mr. P. Cunningham, Urban Councillor. They would hand over the County Roll of Honour Book, which they hoped shortly to complete, to the Tullamore Urban Council.

General Lloyd said that many men from that county fell in distant lands, and they were there to commemorate their valour and self-sacrifice. The memorial would serve as a lasting tribute to the memory of the men of King's County, who fought and died for the Empire.

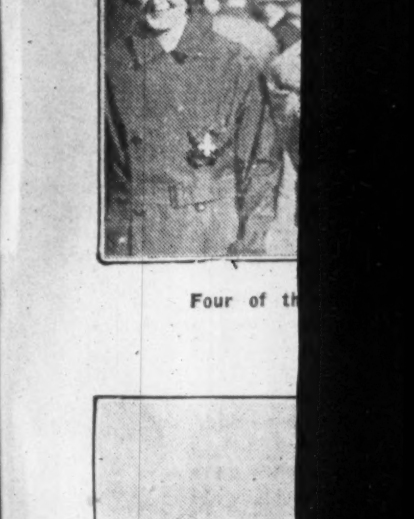
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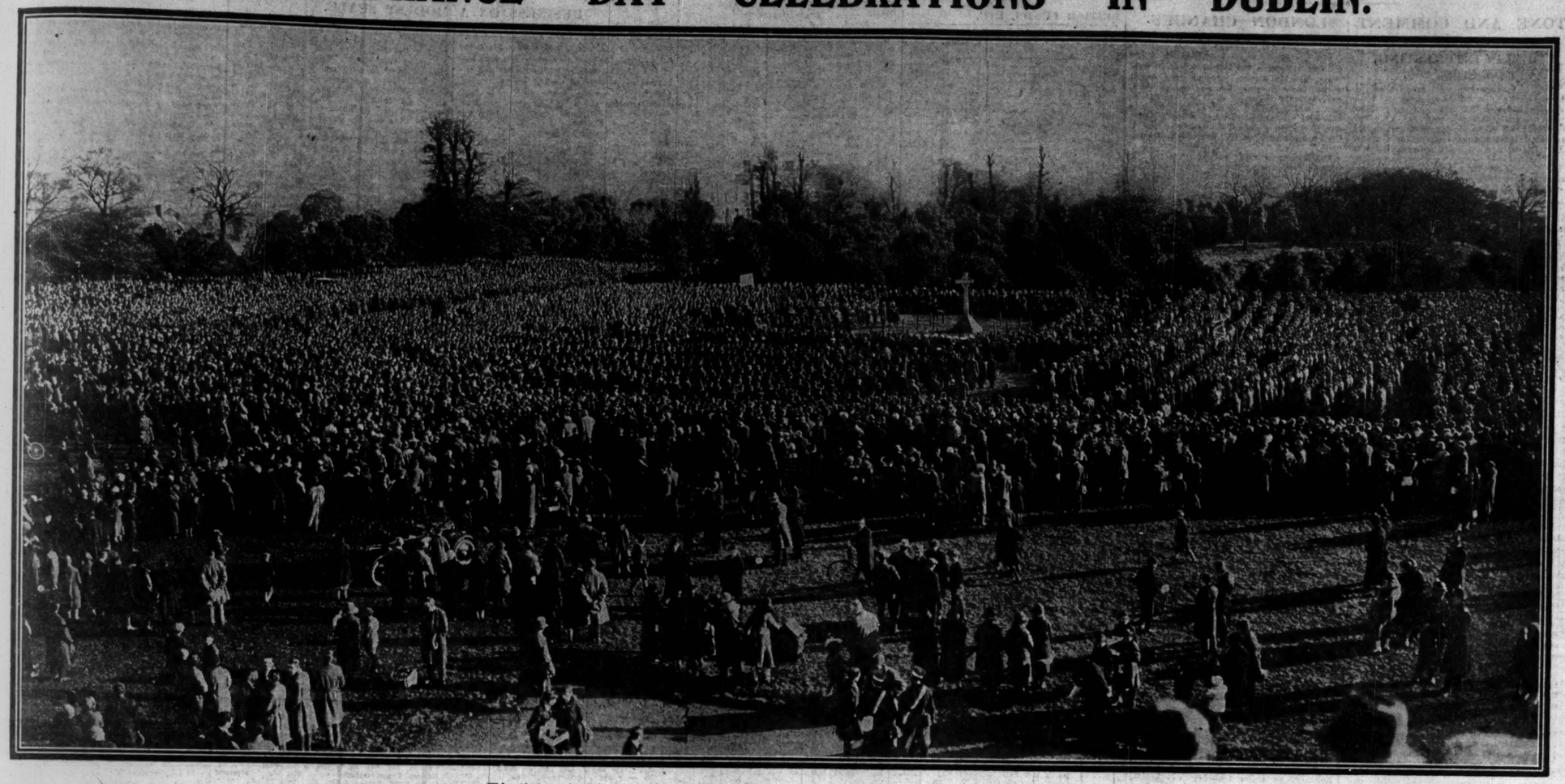


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REMEMBRANCE DAY CELEBRATIONS IN DUBLIN.



This photograph, taken from the Wellington Monument, shows only a section of the crowd that gathered at the Cross in the Phœnix Park.



Patients from Blackrock Orthopædic Hospital.



A Section of the Crowd at the base of the Wellington Monument.



Sir Robert Tate, with the Trinity College Contingent.



Four of the ex-Service Women in the Procession.



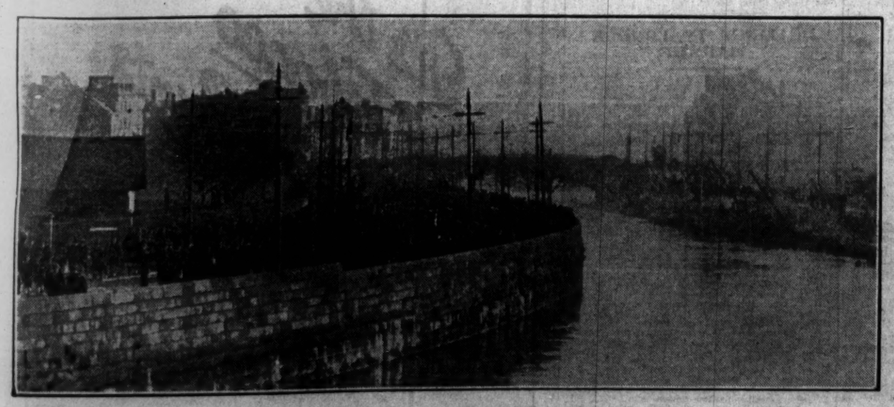
Mr. G. Hamlet, President of the Irish Rugby Football Union, and Captain Boyd-Rochfort, V.C., who represented the Guards' Division, laid Wreaths on the Cross.



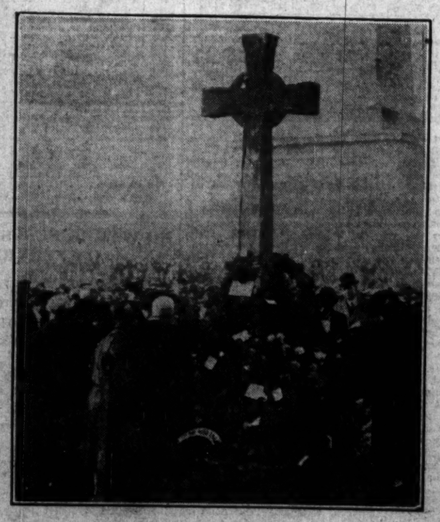
Leaving the Park after the Ceremony.



Major-General Sir William Hickie lays the first Wreath at the Cross.



The Procession going along the North Quay.



The Cross, with the Wreaths



Mr. R. Murray laying a Wreath at the Memorial in the Law Courts, Dublin Castle.

FINANCIAL NEWS AND NOTES.

TONE AND COMMENT.

DUBLIN INTERESTING. BANK STOCK 290.

Quietly firm markets were experienced yesterday on 'Change, but at no point was brisk dealing indulged in. Remembrance Day, with Services, parades, and the Cenotaph ceremony, all occupied attention, and tended to detract from business activity on 'Change. The Funds were scarcely altered, but the tendency all over was rather to support prices. The demand for Bank of Ireland Stock was again considerable at a further advance. An improved volume of support turned up for Guinness Ordinary Shares, though the sale pressure was still in evidence at the opening of the market. British and Irish Steam Pref. were in demand, and the price hardened a little. Marconi Shares were firmer in tone. Rails moved irregularly, with steady support for Pre.-Ord. issues, but "Loop" Line Guaranteed fell smartly, while Ord. Stocks were quoted lower. Dublin United Tram Ord. were supported, and the same remark applies to Alliance Gas Shares at rather lower quotations. Drapery Shares closed harder. Tobaccos were just steady. The feature in Textiles was the solid investment support extended to Courtaulds. Coats were freely dealt in at 60s. Lever Bros. Pref. issues were quiet. Dublin Artisans' Dwellings closed in request. Dunlop Rubber Ord. were again absorbed at a slight gain.

LONDON SMALL.

ANOTHER RISE IN DISTRICTS.

Members of the Stock Exchange were assembled in full force in the "House" yesterday morning and the Silence was observed with due solemnity, being followed by the singing of the National Anthem. On resumption the volume of business in the majority of departments proved small, but with few exceptions a generally steady tone was maintained. A slightly harder tendency was manifest in the gilt-edged section, and Foreign Government Stocks also displayed a firmer appearance. Among Home Rails, Metropolitan issues were again a feature of strength, the Consols gaining a point, while Districts were marked 2 points better. Little of interest transpired in Colonial and Foreign Rails. Rubbers were again quite, and in the absence of business quotations were inclined to sag. Among Mines, Tin shares displayed an easier tendency, in sympathy with the fall in the metal, and South Africans were irregular. Oils also showed irregularity at the commencement of business, but later a strong tone developed and prices were marked forward sharply. Industrials were quiet. Among Textiles, Courtaulds displayed a firmer appearance, but Nueras were marked down. Iron and Steels were firm in tone, and Dunlops also displayed a firmer front.

ASSURED PROSPERITY FOR RUBBER.

Interesting comments on the rubber position are made by a firm of Mincing lane brokers, who point out that under the revised scheme manufacturers will be able to fill their requirements and estimate their production costs for the next twelve months, which is what few other industries are able to do to-day. Shareholders will be able to estimate within a reasonable margin the potential profits of planted areas, and the investment prospects of Rubber Shares, as distinguished from the speculative element, are stronger. With motor transport steadily expanding, even in remote parts of the world, the demand for rubber is bound to expand, and it is considered that there are many years of assured prosperity ahead.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

It is reported that two Stock Exchange seats have been sold for $158,000 and $160,000 respectively, subject to the approval of the Stock Exchange Committee. The previous sale reported was at $142,000 on 4th November.

HOLDING THE COTTON SURPLUS.

The cotton interests in Georgia have decided upon the immediate withdrawal of 300,000 bales of cotton from the market for eighteen months or two years, or until the market is satisfactory, in order to relieve the situation caused by the low price of staple cotton. The Georgian banks have arranged the financing of the transaction without appealing to the Government's financial agencies to furnish funds for advances to the cotton-growers, who will place the cotton in a holding pool. It is announced that five of the largest banks have underwritten a $12,000,000 fund to finance the holding movement, which also is for the purpose of marketing the 300,000 bales in orderly fashion.

PROVINCIAL EXCHANGES.

BIRMINGHAM.—Motors keep firm. Dennis an outstanding feature. Singers and Rovers improved. Humbers reacted slightly. Lucas flat. Dunlops active at better prices. Austins 6/3, Debentures 88⅞; Bluemels, 40/-; Components, 6/-; S.T.D., 4/4½; Enfield, 30/6; Humbers, 45/3; Lucas, 69/6; Dennis, 104/-; Napiers, 32/6; Rolls-Royce, 35/3; Rovers, 7/-; Singers, 45/9; Standards, 37/-; Swifts, 2/-; Triumphs, 29/-; Dunlops, 28/6; Parent Deferred, 36/-.

MANCHESTER.—Textiles a quiet, but steady market. Bleachers, 42/6-43/-; Calicos, 28/9-29/3; Bradford Dyers, 47/6-48/-; Sewing Cottons, 52/-53/-; Fine Spinners, 42/-43/-; "Slubbers," 7/6-7/9; Coats, 59/6-60/6; Ship Canal, 16/-16/3; Velvets, 21/6-22/6; Courtaulds, 103/9-105/-; Dunlops, 28/6-28/9; Amalgamated Cottons, 5/6-5/9; Hoyles, 25/6-26/-; Nuera Silk 31/-, do. Pref. 22/6.

INSURANCE SHARES.

BUSINESS DONE IN LONDON:—Alliance Assurance, £15 9/-, £15 8/-, 15⅛; do. New, 16 1/16, 16, £16 2/-, 16 3/32; Commercial Union, 53/-, 2/6; Employers' Liability, 82/-, 1/3; General Accident, 8, 5/16; Guardian Assurance, 8⅝; Northern Assurance, £14 2/-, £14 1/9; Prudential "A" Shares, 21¾, ⅞; do. "B" Shares, 37/3¾, 3d., 6d.; Royal Insurance, 31⅞, £31 16/6, 31 13/16, £31 14/-; Scottish Union, 10 7/16, ½; Sun Life Assurance, 44¼, ⅛.

BUSINESS DONE IN LIVERPOOL:—Commercial Union, 24¾, 13/16, ¾; Employers' Liability, 81/3; General Accident, 8⅛; Guardian Assurance, 8 21/32; London and Lancashire, Law Union and Rock, 98; North British, 22 11/16; Northern Assurance, 14⅛, 3/3, ½; Phœnix Assurance, 269/-, 70/-; Royal Insurance, 31⅝.

RUBBER CROPS FOR OCTOBER.

Straits Rubber, 290,000 (221,843); Rubana, 113,000 (55,982); Tali Ayer, 115,000 (104,444); Bagan Serai, 45,500 (36,806); Batak Rabit, 37,000 (32,325); Glenshiel, 51,578 (47,450); Karu, 29,000 (25,502); Merchiston, 47,000 (40,086); Sabrang, 113,500 (75,772). (Crops for October, 1926, in parentheses.)

BRITISH TRADE IN OCTOBER.

LESS COAL IMPORTED.

The Board of Trade returns for October show exports of £53,176,663, an increase of £2,496,660 on September, and imports of £111,013,703, which is £9,289,362 over the previous month. The weight of coal coming into Britain during October was 3,469,063 tons, whereas in September it was 3,940,880 tons. There was not a considerable change in the total value, however, for that imported during October cost £7,722,940, while for the preceding month the price paid was £7,749,101. The total amount of coal exported was 3,812 tons, of the value of £2,406. Of this, 3,609 tons went to Finland, 195 to the Irish Free State and 8 tons to Chile. In the month of October, 1925, Britain exported 4,382,484 tons of coal of the value of £4,017,907. Exports for the first ten months of this year were of the value of £549,121,463, a decrease of £97,218,929, as compared with the same period of 1925.

DUBLIN SHIPPING REPORT.

Barometer, at 5 p.m.—29.10. Wind and Weather—Fresh Westerly winds, with passing showers.

Foreign Arrivals—Stock Force, of Whitehaven (499 tons register), Captain Cousins, from Antwerp, with a cargo of coal, discharging at City quay; Moorwood, of London (1,090 tons register), Captain Dyason, from Hamburg, with a cargo of Bricquets, discharging at North Wall Extension; Guelder Rose, of Liverpool (501 tons register), Captain Jones, from Antwerp, with a cargo of coal, discharging at City quay; Waalhaven, of Rotterdam (2,169 tons register), Captain Jordi, from Baltimore, with a cargo of coal, discharging at North Wall Extension.

Coastwise Arrivals—Lady Louth from Liverpool, Olive from Heysham, Lady Wimborne from London—with passengers and goods; Slieve Donard and Snowdon from Holyhead, with goods; Slievemore from Holyhead, light.

Foreign Departures—Greathope, of Newcastle (1,292 tons register), Captain Kell, for Spain, light; Trevethoe, of St. Ives (2,770 tons register), Captain Dixon, for Birkenhead, with part cargo (wheat); Inveresk, of Glasgow (855 tons register), Captain Hughes, for San Esteban, light; Trito, of Rotterdam (373 tons register), Captain Boll, for Amsterdam and Rotterdam, via Belfast, with general cargo; Patricia, of Cardiff (342 tons register), Captain Kane, for Boulogne, light.

Coastwise Departures—Lady Louth for Liverpool, Olive for Heysham, Puma for Glasgow—with passengers and goods; Slieve Donard and Snowdon for Holyhead, Lady Kildare for Liverpool, Lady Wicklow for Manchester—with goods; Slievemore for Holyhead, with live stock; Delgarth Force for Newlyn, light.

LONDON CHANGES.

Business remained on a small scale in the gilt-edged market, but the tone was, if anything, a trifle firmer. Actual price movements, however, were few and far between, and, with the exception of War Loan 3½ per cent., which finished at an advance of ¼ to 98⅞, final values were the same as on Wednesday. Among Colonial Government Stocks, Ceylon 6 per cent., at 106, were a point to the good.

Dealings continued extremely small in Foreign Government Stocks. Peruvian Corporation Debs. finished a full point firmer at 99. Brazil 4 per cent. 1889 at 53, and Chinese 5 per cent. 1912 at 51½, were also both a point harder on the day. Egyptian Unified at 81¼, and Turkish Unified at 21¼, were both ¼ easier on the day's business.

RAILS BETTER.

A firmer tone was manifest among Home Rails, and Metropolitan issues provided the feature. Districts jumped to 58¼, or 2 points above the overnight level, while Consols at 60¼ were a point harder. Midland Ord. finished at an advance of ¼ to 74.

An extremely quiet tone ruled in Colonial and Foreign Rails, and final prices as a rule were much the same as before. B.A. issues were a trifle easier in places, the Western losing a point to 83½, while Central Argentine at 71¼ were ½ down. Cordoba Central Ord., on the other hand, moved up the turn to 33½, or ½ firmer. United Havana were quoted x.d. at 66½.

RUBBER SHARES WEAKER.

Little of interest transpired in the Rubber Share market yesterday, and in the absence of business prices were inclined to dwindle. Price movements were not numerous, but, while a couple or so issues finished the day at slightly higher levels, the majority of alterations were in the downward direction. A dull tone ruled in the commodity market also. Spot and November and December were quoted at 1s. 8⅞d. per lb., while January to March sold 1s. 9d. April to June realised 1s. 9⅛d. per lb. In the Share market, Baru, Malacca and Membakut all lost 1s. 3d. Hong Kong Selangor were a weak spot, and here a decline of 5s. was recorded, the final quotation being no better than 65s. Sapong eased to 73s. 9d. c.d., or 1s. 3d. lower, and Seafield went off sharply to 48s. 9d., or 5s. below their overnight level. Yam Seng lost 1½d. to 6s. 1½d. Johore River, on the other hand, improved a trifle to 2s. 3d., or 1½d. firmer, while Rubber Trust gained a similar amount to 44s. c.d. Sekong hardened to 16s. 3d. c.d., or 7½d. better, and Straits Rubber at 25s. 7½d. were also 7½d. firmer. A number of others were quoted ex div., among them being Anglo-Java at 7s. 7½d., F.M.S. Plants at 71s. 10½d., Golden Hope at 45s., and United Sua Betong at 98s. 9d.

TEA SHARES FIRM.

Dealings continued on a small scale in the Tea share market yesterday, but despite the paucity of business a generally firm tone was still evident, and prices were again marked forward in several directions. Here and there, however, an easier tendency was manifest, and in some instances final levels were lower.

OILS—HEALTHY CONDITION.

Much more healthy conditions prevailed in the Oil Share market yesterday, the shake-out of the preceding day, as a result of profit-taking sales, having left the market in a sounder position. Chief interest centred on Apex Trin. Leaseholds, Lobitos, British Borneos and V.O.C. Holdings. Final prices were not in all cases the best of the day, but a majority of the movements recorded favoured holders. Shells, which kept around the overnight level of 4 19/32 for the greater part of the day—business in the shares being of fair proportions—hardened in the afternoon and closed with a gain of 1/32 at 4⅝, the Bearer shares being up a like amount at 4 21/32. A moderate demand existed for Royal Dutch, which rose steadily, closing rather buyers at 31⅛, the result of the day's business being an advance of ⅜. Anglo-Americans, from 4 9/32, improved to 4⅜ bid, and left off with a gain of 1/32 at 4 11/32.

Business in Anglo-Persians was again on a good scale, and from the opening price of 6 3/32 the shares rose to 6 11/32, while the final price of 6⅜ left them 1/16 up on the day. Mexican Eagles, which were quiet for the greater part of the day, met with a demand in the late dealings. The Ordinary and 8 p.c. Part. Prefs. improved 3d. to 20s. 6d. and 19s. 3d. respectively, and the 7 p.c. First Prefs. were steady at 16s. 7½d. x.d. In the Trinidad group there was a continuance of active dealings in Apex, Trinidad and Trinidad Leaseholds. Following the setback of the preceding day, Apex opened slightly easier at 5 11/32, but renewed buying found the shares in short supply, with the result that the price advanced rapidly to 5 19/32. Towards the end, however, they became easier, although the final price of 5 21/32 left them 5/32 up on balance. Trinidad Leaseholds fluctuated between 4 17/32 and 4 21/32, closing at 4 9/16, the result of the day's business being a rise of 1/16.

A strong feature was provided among Venezuelans by V.O.C. Holdings, which changed hands freely at advancing prices. At the close they registered an improvement of 5/16, the Ord. finishing at 3 5/16 and the Prefs. at 3 3/16. The belief prevails that an early announcement may be made regarding an issue of capital to existing shareholders on favourable terms. Among Rumanians, Phoenix continued to receive the bulk of attention. Large buying orders were received for the shares, particularly in the afternoon, as a result of which they advanced steadily to 26s., at which a rise of 6d. was recorded.

BRIGHT SPOTS IN INDUSTRIALS.

Although irregularity again characterised the Industrial market yesterday, some outstanding bright spots were observable. Most of the business passing was in Coal, Steel, and Engineering issues on hopes of coal peace. Thornycrofts were prominent with an advance of 2s. to 12s. on the resumption of Ordinary dividends. Stewarts Def. rose 9d. to 29s. 3d., with moderate gains recorded in Beardmores at 5s. 9d., Bolckow Vaughans at 8s., Cammell Lairds at 9s. 3d., William Corys at 50s., Dorman Longs at 11s., Guest Keens at 38s. 6d., Palmers Shipbuilding at 5s 3d., and United Steel Prefs. at 10s. 7½d. Armstrongs had buyers at 5s. 6d. and United Steels Ord. at 5s. 9d.

Irregular movements were witnessed among Textiles. Good support was noticeable from the North for Fine Spinners, which put on 1s. to 43s. Sewing Cottons improved 6d. to 53s., but Bradford Dyers at 47s. 6d. and J. and P. Coats at 59s. 6d. were each a few pence lower. Calico Printers, Listers, and Linen Threads closed unaltered. Wardles weakened 1/16 to 3. Of the Artsilks, Courtaulds met with a moderate inquiry, and stiffened 1/16 to 5 3/16, while Nuera Ord. sagged to 31s. 9d. and the Defd. to 23s. 6d. Western Viscose were easier at 13s. 9d.; Snias remained steady around 31s. 3d.; Chas. Semon Ord. were lifted to 2s. 9d. bid.

A somewhat steadier tone was observable in the Electrical Equipment section. Johnson and Phillips were unchanged at 56s. 6d. x.d., and Siemens were 3d. harder at 28s. x.d. Buyers appeared for some of the Supply shares, noticeably County of London, which changed hands up to 3¼, and closed 1/16 higher on the day at 3 3/16.

Tobaccos again proved an uncertain market. Carreras gave way ⅛ to 16⅝, and United South lost 1/16 at 4¾. On the other hand, R. and J. Hill improved 6d. to 43s. 6d., with Albert Bakers firm at 38s. 3d. ex div.; "Bats" and "Imps" closed unaltered. Booth Distilleries were a weak spot among Breweries, falling 1s. 3d. to 13s. In other directions prices were generally well maintained, with Ind Coopes 6d. harder at 67s., and Watney Defd. 2 up at 260½.

A demand sprang up for "Daily Mirrors" in the Newspaper group, and the shares changed hands up to 8, an advance of 5/16. "Pictorials" gained 1/16 at 4 5/16, but Associated Defd. declined ⅛ at 7½. There was little doing in Land shares, where the tone remained quietly steady, with Hudson's Bays and Sudans unchanged. Banks were also on the quiet side, the only quotable change being in National of India, which put on ½ to 47⅜. Telegraphs and Telephones issues scarcely moved, though Oriental Telephones rose ⅛ to 2¼.

Of the Wireless group, Marconis stiffened to 15s. 9d. on the success of the "Beam" system, which is to be extended to South Africa shortly. Nitrates proved a poor market, declines being general. Shipping shares were uncertain. Canada Steamships gained 1 at 33, but Cunards eased 3d. to 18s. 3d. Insurance shares were idle and featureless. Traction issues moved within narrow limits; Shawinigan Power Capital Stock eased slightly to 272. The outstanding feature in the Motor section was Dennis Bros. Ord., which continued their advance and established another high record level at 5¼, which left them ¼ to the good on balance. Rolls Royce were inquired for around 35s. 3d. L.G.O.C. Income Debs. put on 1 to 87½. On the other hand, Thomas Tillings lost further ground at 54s. 6d.

The maintenance of the J. Lyons interim dividend at 1s. 8d. per share on the Ord. had little effect on values. J. Lyons closed unaltered, while Aerated Breads eased 3d. to 29s. 6d. The latter company announced a final dividend of 1s. 3d. per share, making 2s. for the year, as a year ago. Some of the Trust Stocks were in evidence, noticeably Trustees Corporation Ord., which rose 11 to 189½. United States Deb. Corporation Ord. gained 2 at 246½. In the Miscellaneous department, Dunlops met with a fair amount of attention, changing hands up to 28s. 9d., and closing 3d. higher on the day at 28s. 7½d. Chemical Combine issues were harder for choice, British Dyestuffs at 17s., Nobels Ord. at 35s. 9d., with the Deferred buyers at 17s. 9d. On the other hand, Brunners shed 6d. to 36s. Swedish Match issues maintained a very firm front, the "A" Shares at 14½ and the "B" Shares at 14⅝. International Telephones recovered to 48s., but Automatic Telephones were dull at 56s. Telephone Manufacturing came in for further attention at 8s. 10½d. Among recent issues, Perak Power Debs. gave way ½ to 5½ discount. Bogota Telephones were 3d. better at 32s. 6d., and J. Bolding Ord. hardened a like amount to 17s. 3d. Both classes of shares in Carricks, Caterers, were dealt in on the basis of 6d. to 1s. premium.

LATEST CLOSING AND STREET PRICES.

BRITISH FUNDS, ETC.

—	Closing.		Rise or fall.
Consols	54	55	
War Loan 3½%	98½	99	+ ¼
do. 4½%	93	94*	
do. 5%	99⅝	99⅞*	
do. 4% (Tax Free)	99¾	100¼	
Funding Loan	84½	85	
Victory Bonds	91¾	92¼	
2½% Conversion Loan	74⅝	74⅞	
4½% Conversion Loan	95	95½	
5½ Treasury Bonds	101¼	101¾	
Irish Land 2¾%	56	58	
India 3%	59	60	
do. 3½%	69	70	
do. 5½%	102	103	
do. 7%	101	103	
Local Loans	62½	63	
Sudan 5½%	105	107	

COLONIAL GOVERNMENT STOCKS.

Australian Com. 5%	98	100*	
do. 6%	101	103	
British Col. 4½, '41	91	93	
Canada 4%	87	89	
Cape 3½ Cons.	78	80	
Ceylon 6%	107	109	+1
New South Wales 4½ '22-7	99	101	
do. 5½ 1922-7	98	100*	
do. 6½% 1930-40	102	104	
New Zealand 4%, '29	95	97	
Nigeria 6%	111	113	
Queensland 4%, '40-60	77	79	
do. 6% '30-40	101	103	
South Africa 4% Cons.	84	86	
do. 6%	101	103	
South Australian 4% '40-60	79	81	
do. 6½%	102	104	
Victoria 4% '40-60	79	81	
do. 6½% 1923-5	100	102	
Western Australia 5% '35-45	95	97*	
do. 6% 1930-40	101	103	

BANKS.

Anglo South American	7⅞	7⅛*	
Australasia	13½	14	
Bank of England	243	248	
Bank of New South Wales	43¾	44¾	
do. New Zealand	2⅞	3⅛	
Barclay's A	7 13/16	8 1/16	
British Overseas	5¾	6	
Canadian of Commerce	46	48	
Chartered of India	19⅞	20⅛	
Hong Kong	117	120	
Lloyds	62/0	63/0	
Midland	86s	87s	
National Discount Bank	8⅝	8⅞	
National Prov. (£4)	12 15/16	13 3/16	
Royal of Canada	51	53*	
Standard of South Africa	13½	14	
Union of Australia	14¼	15¼	
Westminster Bank	18 13/16	18 15/16	

FOREIGN BONDS.

M.U.—Nov. 8.				
100	Argentine, 1886	99	101	
80	Do. 4 p.c. Rescissions	79	81	
91½	Do. 5 p.c., 1909	93	95	
—	Belgian 7 p.c. Loan	6 9/16	6 13/16 pm	+3/32
52	Brazil 4 p.c., 1889	52	54	+1
90½	Do. Funding, 1908	89	91	
78½	Do. 5 p.c., 1914	77	79*	
85	Chinese 5 p.c., 1896	85	87	
67¾	Do. 4½ p.c., 1898	67	69	
50	Do. 5 p.c., 1912	50	53	+1
104	Czecho-Slovakia Bonds	103	105	
81½	Egyptian Unified	80¾	81¾	-¼
13¼	French Loan	13	14	
10¼	Do. 4 p.c.	9½	10½	
101¼	German 7 p.c.	102	104*	
92	Greek Loan	91½	92½*	
17	Italian Rentes	16	18	
92½	Japan 4 p.c., 1905	92	94	
92½	Do. 6 p.c., 1924	92	93	
47	Mexican 5 p.c., '99	47	49	
49	Do. 6 p.c. 10-Y. Treas.	49	50	
7¼	Peruvian Corporation	7½	8	
48¾	Do. Pref.	50½	51½	
98¼	Do. Deb.	98	100	+1
35¼	Portuguese 3 p.c.	35	37	
—	Spanish 4 p.c.	70	75	
22	Turkish Unified	20¾	21¾	-¼
65¼	Uruguay 3½ p.c.	64½	65½*	

BRITISH RAILS.

89½	Great Western	89	90	
—	Do. Cons. Pref.	93	95	
74	Ldn. Mid. & Scot. Ord.	73½	74½	+ ½
—	Do. 4 p.c. Pref.	71	73	
—	Do. 5 p.c. Red. Pref.	95	98	
—	Do. 4 p.c. Pref., 1923	69	71	
50¼	Ldn. North-East. 5 p.c. Pref. Ord.	50	51	
18½	Do. Def. Ord.	18¼	18¾	
—	Do. 4 p.c. 1st Pref.	64	66	
—	Do. 4 p.c. 2nd Pref.	57	60	
60	Metropolitan	60	61	+1
—	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	89	92	
54	Do. District	58	59	+2
77¾	Southern Pref. Ord.	77½	78½	
45¾	Do. Def. Ord.	45	46	
—	Underground Elec. (£1)	12/4½	12/10½	
101½	Do. Income Bonds	100	102	
105	Do. 6 p.c. Debs	101	103	

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS.

80½	Antofagasta	80	82*	
—	Argentine G.W. Ord.	81½	83½*	
—	Bahia Blanca	80	82	
—	Brazil Railway Common	¾	1¼	
98¼	Buenos Ayres Gt. Sthn.	97	99*	
85	Buenos Ayres and Pacific	84	86*	
85	Buenos Ayres and W.	82½	84½	-1
169	Canadian Pacific	168	170	
72½	Central Argentine	70½	72½	-1
73	Central Uruguay	72½	74½	
32½	Cordoba Central	32½	34½	+ ½
82½	Do. 1st Pref.	81½	83½	
52½	Do. 2nd Pref.	52	54	
66	Entre Rios	66	68*	
—	Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	89	91*	
—	Grand Trunk Pac. Deb.	86	88	
—	Grand Trunk 4 p.c. Guar.	77	79	
—	Do. 4 p.c. Perp. Deb.	77	79	
41½	Leopoldina	40½	42½	
—	Mexican Rails	7¾	8¼	
21½	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	21	23	
11½	Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	11	13	
182	San Paulo Ord.	179	183	
60	United Havana	65½	67½*	

AMERICAN RAILS.

—	Atchison	159	161	-2
—	Baltimore	106	108	-1
—	Chesapeake	169	171	-1
—	Chicago, Milwaukee	8½	9½	
40	Erie	39	41	
—	Do. 1st Pref.	47	49	
—	New York Ontario	25	27	
122½	Southern Common	121	123	-1
—	Do. Pref.	95	98	
—	Southern Pacific	110	112	
168½	Union Pacific	167	169	-1

BREWERIES AND DISTILLERIES.

19/3	Allsopp £1 Shares	7⁄8	1	
98	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	95	98	
—	Bass, Ratcliff 5 p.c. Pref.	85	89	
48/0	Do. Ord.	2⅝	2 11/16	
53/6	Distillers Ord.	2 11/16	2 13/16	
602½	Guinness	595	615	
—	Do. Pref.	112	117	
21/3	Peter Walker Ord.	21/0	22/0	
50/0	South African Breweries	2 7/16	2 9/16	
21/0	Walker (John) Pref.	20/6	21/6	
257	Watney, Combe Def.	258	263	+2

ELECTRIC SUPPLY.

—	Bournemouth and Poole	3	3⅛	
46/0	Charing Cross	2¼	2⅜	
—	Chelsea Ord.	1⅞	2⅛	
48/0	City of London	47/0	49/0	+0/6
3⅛	County of London	3⅛	3¼	+ 1/16
—	Lancashire	23/0	25/0	
35/6	London Electric	34/6	36/6	
40/3	Metropolitan	39/0	41/0	
21/7½	Newcastle	1 1/16	1 3/16	
18¾	St. James's (£5)	18¼	19¼	
—	South London	2½	2¾	
42/6	Westminster	2	2¼	
—	Whitehall Electric Pref.	19/10½	20/4½	

FOODSTUFFS AND STORES.

30/0	Aerated Bread	29/0	30/0	-0/3
2	Bovril Def.	1 31/32	2 1/32	
2/9	Crosse and Blackwell	2/3	3/3	
10/9	Lipton	10/0	11/0	
30/0	Lovell and Christmas	1 7/16	1 9/16	
3⅞	Lyons (J.)	3¾	4	
—	Mackintosh (J.) Pref.	22/9	23/9	
5/0	Maypole Def.	5/0	5/6	
—	Smithfield Arg. Meat	⅝	⅞	
2 1/16	Spratt's Patent	2	2⅛	
—	Union Cold Storage Pref.	18/9	19/9	
28/0	Van Den Berghs	1¼	1⅜	
—	Do. Pref.	4¾	5¼	

IRON AND STEEL.

5/1½	Armstrong (W. G.)	5/3	5/9	+0/1½
9/0	Cammell Laird	8/9	9/3	+0/3
10/3	Dorman Long	10/6	11/6	+0/6
13/9	John Brown	14/6	15/0	
8/9	Do. (15/- paid)	8/6	9/6	
14/8	Pease and Partners	14/6	15/6	
51/3	South Durham Steel	2⅜	2⅝	
28/3	Siemens	27/6	28/6*	+0/3
5/1½	United Steel	5/6	6/0	+0/1½
9/0	Vickers Ord.	8/9	9/3	

LAND AND INVESTMENT.

—	Aboukir Land	13/16	15/16	
35/0	Argentine Land Invest.	1 11/16	1 13/16	
25/0	Do. Southern Land	1 3/16	1 5/16	
8/3	B.N.B. Land	8/0	9/0	
24/0	Forestal Land	24/0	24/6	
5⅝	Hudson's Bay Ord.	5½	5⅝	
5/6	Pekin Syndicate	5/3	5/9	
23/6	Rio Negro Lands	1 1/16	1 3/16	
4 15/16	Sudan Plantations	4 15/16	5 1/16	

NEWSPAPERS.

7 5/16	Asso. Newspapers Def.	7 7/16	7 9/16	- ⅛
52/6	Allied News Ord.	52/0	53/0	
—	Amalgamated Press	3	3⅛	
—	Daily Mail Trst. (7/6 pd.)	63/4½	64/4½	
7⅝	Daily Mirror Ord.	7 15/16	8 1/16	+5/16
4⅛	Sunday Pictorial Ord.	4¼	4⅜	+1/16

NITRATES.

8½	Alianza	7	8	- ½
15/0	Lagunas Nitrate	14/0	16/0	-1/0
3 3/16	Lautaro Nitrate	3⅛	3⅜	-⅛
1⅜	Liverpool Nitrate	1⅜	1½	-⅛
2½	London Nitrate	2⅜	2⅝	
15/6	Rosario Nitrate	15/0	17/0	
1⅜	Santiago Nitrate	1¼	1½	
9/0	Tarapaca Nitrate	8/6	9/6	

OILS.

M.U.—Nov. 8.				
4 11/32	Anglo-American	4 5/16	4⅜	+ 1/32
1 13/16	Anglo-Ecuadorian	1 27/32	1 29/32	
1¼	Anglo-Egyptian "B"	1¼	1 5/16	- 1/32
6 3/32	Anglo-Persian Ord	6 11/32	6 13/32	+ 1/16
26/4½	Do. 8 p.c. 1st Pref.	26/4½	26/10½	
27/6	Do. 9 p.c. 2nd Pref.	27/7½	28/1½	
96½	Do. 6 p.c. Deb.	96	97	
5 1/16	Apex Trinidad	5⅝	5 11/16	+ 5/32
13/6	Attock	16/3	16/9	
16/9	Brit. Borneo Pet. (10/-)	19/6	20/0	+1/9
8/1½	British Burmah (8/-)	7/6	8/0	
4/3	British Controlled	4/7½	4/10½	+0/1½
8/0	Do. Pref.	8/1½	8/4½	+0/3
5 29/32	Burmah	6 3/32	6 5/32*	
26/10½	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	26/0	26/6*	
1/7½	Caltex	1/6	1/9	
5¾	Eagle Transport Pref.	5⅝	5⅞	
101¾	Do. 7 p.c. Notes.	101¼	102¼	+ ¼
102¾	Do. Bearer	102¼	103¼	+ ¼
12/9	Kern River (10/-)	12/3	12/9	-0/6
4⅝	Lago (no par value)	4⅜	4 7/16	+ 1/32
8 5/16	Lobitos	8 19/32	8 21/32	+ 5/32
20/3	Mexican Eagle	20/3	20/9	+0/3
19/0	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	19/0	19/6	+0/3
17/1½	Do. 7 p.c. 1st Pref.	16/4½	16/10½*	
4/3	North Caucasian (10/-)	3/0	4/6	
4/3	Omnium	4/1½	4/7½	
1/4½	Oropuche (4/- sh. f.p.)	1/6	1/9	
25/9	Phoenix	25/9	26/3	+0/6
30⅝	Royal Dutch	31⅛	31⅝	+ ⅜
4 7/16	Shell Transport	4 19/32	4 21/32	+ 1/32
9 5/16	Do. 5 p.c. Pref. (£10)	9⅝	10⅛	
24/10½	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	24/9	25/3	
1/3	Spies (2/-)	1/1½	1/4½	
15/6	Steaua Romana	15/1½	15/7½	-0/1½
8/6	Tankers Pref.	8/4½	8/10½	
11/6	Trinidad Central	11/3	12/3	
4¼	Trinidad Leasehold	4 17/32	4 19/32	+ 1/16
7/0	United Brit. Trinidad	7/6	7/9	+0/4½
4/3	Ural Caspian	3/9	4/3	
2 31/32	V.O.C. Holdings	3¼	3 5/16	+ 5/16
2 27/32	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	3⅛	3 3/16	+ 5/16

RUBBERS.

3/6	Amal. Rubber Est	3/4½	
54/6	Anglo-Dutch	54/0	
8/0	Anglo-Java	7/7½*	
1 13/16	Anglo-Malay	35 7½*	
8/4½	Bertam Cons.	8/3	-0/0¾
8/3	Bukit Mertajam	8/0	-0/1½
3/3	Bukit Sembawang	3/0*	
1 5/16	Buntar	25/0†	
1⅜	Damansara	27/0	
2⅜	Grand Central	46/10½	
2 15/16	Highlands	57/6*	
2 13/16	Java Para	56/3	
29/9	Jugra Land	28/0*	
6/6	Kamuning	6/4½	-0/1½
3 5/16	Kapar Para	63/9*	
10/6	Kepong	10/0	-0/1½
4¼	Kuala Lumpur	85/0†	
2 11/16	Kuala Muda	52/2¼†	
3 5/16	Labu	59/4½*	
4 7½	Laras	4/6¾	-0/0¾
2 25/32	Linggi	54/3†	
7/0	London Asiatic	6/10½†	
3⅝	Malacca	72/6	-1/3
43/6	Malayalam	42/6	-0/6
5/9	Merlimau	5/7½†	
2 1/16	Mooply Valley	40/0	
4/0	Rubber Est. of Krian	4/0	
44/6	Rubber Trust	44/0†	+0/1½
2 7/16	Seafield (New)	48/9	-5/0
2 21/32	Sendayan	53/1½	
3 3/16	Sialang	63/0†	
1 11/32	Straits Rubber	25/7½	+0/7½
7/3	Sumatra Para	7/0*	
2	Tali Ayer	40/0	
3 15/16	Tandjong	75/0†	-0/7½
2 5/16	Tandjong Malim	38/9*	
7/1½	United Serdang	6/10½	
5	United Sua Betong	98/9*	
22/9	Vallambrosa	22/7½	-0/1½

Abaco	70/0*		Ledbury	62/6*	
Allagar	4/6		Lendu	31/3	
Allied Sum	23/3	-0/1½	Loengoer	2/4½*	
Ampat	8/3†	-0/3	Manch'r N.B.	42/6†	
Anglo-Sum	95/0†		Membakut	23/7½	-1/3
Asahan	22/6†	-0/9	Mendaris	38/9†	
Bah Lias	48/9*		N. Hayoep	1/10½*	
Baru (Java)	66/3	-1/3	N. Hum'ock	30/7½	
Batang	3/1½*		Pahl P's (1/6p)	2/7½	
Batu Tiga	57/6		P.P.K. (C'y'n)	33/1½†	
Bernam Pr'h	48/9*		Pataling	36/3*	
R.N.B.R. Tst	17/6		Pegoh	57/6*	
Broome Sel.	30/0		Pilmoor	53/1½†	
Bukit Cloh	8/10½†		Port Dickson	4/10½	-0/1½
Bukit Kaj'ns	65/0		[illegible]	42/6	
Bukit Rajah	40/0		Rim Malacca	5/8¼	
Castlefield	11/9		Rub. E. Joh'e	28/9	
Ceylo Timb's	7/1½		Sapong	73/9†	-1/3
Chersonese	3/9		Sapumal'de	31/10½	
Cheviot	6/0		Sedenak	52/6	
Cicely	9/3		Sekong	15/3†	+0/7½
Dennistown	2/10½		Selangor	6/6	
Djember	60/0†		Sembilan	8/1	
East Asiatic	4/1½	-0/1½	Sepang Sel.	26/9	-0/3
Eastern Sum	4/0†		Seramban	21/3*	
Eastern Tst	40/0		Serdang C'l	40/0	
F.M.S. Plant.	71/10*		Sing United	3/8¼†	
Gadjah	9/6		Singap'e Par	3/0	
Gen. Ceylon	55/3	-0/6	Soembei Al'e	4/3	
Glenbervie	56/3		Sumatra Con	43/9	-1/3
Glenshiel	25/0		Sungei B'ya	53/0†	-1/3
Golconda	51/3*		Sungei Chol	32/6*	
Golden Hope	45/0*		Sungei K'par	7/1½*	
Hongk'ng Se	65/0	-5/0	Sungei Kr. P	63/9	
Insulinde	3/7½*		Taiping	2/9	-0/1½
Java Amal.	51/3		Tamiang	52/3	
Johore River	2/3	+0/1½	Tobrau	60/10½	
Kali Java	3/9*		Telogoredjo	65/0†	
Kasintoe	40/0		Tempeh	3/1½	
Kepitigalla	3/3¾		Timbang De'	2/0	
Kombok	4/8¼*		Toerangie	37/6*	-1/3
Kuala Sel	7/9		Un. Temiang	4/10½	
Kwaloe	3/5¼		Waverley	3/3	
Langkat Sum	37/6		Yam Seng	6/1½	-0/1½

SHIPPING.

16/0	Cairn Line	17/0	18/0	
12/0	Cargo Fleet	11/3	12/3	
—	Court Line	29/0	30/0*	
—	Cunard Ord.	17/9	18/9	
18/3	Elder-Dempster 6 p.c. Pf.	17/6	18/6	-0/3
—	Furness, Withy	36/0	37/0	
—	P. and O. Def.	250	260	
—	Royal Mail Ord.	78	83	

TEAS.

Amal. Estates	41¾		Galaha Ceylon	47/0	+0/9
Assam Co.	45/6	+0/3	Imperial	43/6	+1/0
Assam Doom'	46½		Jotinga Valley	81/3	
Assam Front'r	28/10½	-0/4½	Jhanzie	36/0	
Bog'want'lawa	70/0		Jokai	87/6	+0/3
Borelli	85/0		Jorehaut	68/9	+/10½
Brahmapootra	35		Lanka	80/0*	
Brit. Indian	63/0		Lebong	77/6	+0/7½
Budla Beta	138/0		Kanan Devan	38½	
Ceylon Plant.	3 11/16*		Lungla	38/6	
Ceylon Prop.	76/3		Makum	53/6	
Chargola	27/0	+0/6	Moabund	33/6	
Chubwa	83/9		Nedeem	53/6	
Chulsa	60/0		New Dimbula	6*	
Con. Tea & L.	32	+ ¼	Nuwara Eliya	60/0	
Darjeeling Co.	46/6	+1/0	Ouvah	83/9	
Ditto Consol.	61/10½	-1/3½	Peacock & Nil	4 2¼	
Doondi	26/0	+0/3	Pabbojan	62/0	
Dims	88½		Pundaloya	85/0	
Dimbula Val.	70/7½		Rosehaugh Cey	45/0	
Dooars	28/0		Scottish Assam	61/3	
Doom Dooma	96/3	+1/3	Scot. T. & Ln.	56/3	
E. Assam	75/7½	-0/4½	Singlo	60/7½	
East Produce	97/3	-10/3	Travancore	15/0	
Empire	56/3		Up. Assam	32/7½	

TELEGRAPHS.

24½	Anglo-American Def.	24½	25	
15/9	Marconi Wireless Ord.	15/6	16/0	+0/3
1⅛	Do. Pref.	[illegible]	[illegible]	
—	Do. Debs.	96½	97½	
22/0	Do. Marine	21/6	22/6*	
4/0	Do. Canada	3/9	4/3	
—	Oriental Telephone	2¼	2⅜	
12	Radio Corporation	11 15/16	12 1/16	+⅛
10	do. Pref. ($50)	9 15/16	10 5/16	-1/32

TEXTILES AND STORES.

5/6	Amalgamated Cotton	5/3	5/9	
42/0	Bleachers	42/6	43/6	
48/0	Bradford Dyers	47/0	48/0	-0/3
4/3	British Celanese Ord.	4/9	5/3	
17/3	British Dyestuffs	16/9	17/3	+0/3
29/9	Calico Printers	29/3	30/3	
59/3	Coats	59/0	60/0	-0/6
5 1/16	Courtaulds	5 3/16	5¼	+ 1/16
52/0	English Sewing Cotton	52/6	53/6	+0/6
41/9	Fine Spinners	42/6	43/6	+1/0
46/0	Grouts	2 5/16	2 7/16	
56/0	Harrods	55/6	56/6	+0/3
21/6	Hollins (Wm.)	1	1⅛	
—	Linen Thread Ord.	30/0	31/0	
23/0	Lister Ord.	22/3	23/3	
33/0	Nuera	31/3	32/6	-0/1½
25/3	Do. Def.	23/0	24/0	-2/0
—	Selfridge 6 p.c. Pref.	1 5/32	1 9/32	

MISCELLANEOUS INDUSTRIALS.

27/6	African and East. Trade	28/0	29/0	+0/6
18/0	Amal. Dental Pref. Ord.	18/3	19/3	
2 13/16	Anglo-Argentine 1st Pref	2⅞	3⅛	
16/7½	Associated Cement	16/9	17/3	+0/3
17/0	Do. Pref.	16/10½	17/4½	
—	Borax Con. Def.	1 7/16	1⅝	
112	Brazilian Traction	109½	111½	
35/0	British Portland Cement	34/3	34/9	
16/0	B.S.A.	15/0	16/3	
23/6	British Oil and Cake	23/3	26/3	
114	Brit. Col. Elec. Rail. Pf.	113½	116½	
—	Do. 4½ p.c. Debs.	86	89	
95/6	Brit.-Amer. Tobacco	95/6	96/0	
36/6	Brunner Mond	35/6	36/6	-0/3
47/6	Bryant and May	47/0	48/0	
16⅝	Carreras	16½	16¾	- ⅛
27/9	Dunlop Rubber	28/6	28/9	+0/3
—	Do. 8 p.c. Deb.	103½	105½	
23/9	Do. "C" Prefs.	1⅛	1¼*	
—	English Electric	13/3	14/3	-0/3
—	Finlay (James)	78/9	79/9	
28/9	General Electric Ord.	28/6	29/6	
—	Do. Deb.	103	106	-1
—	Gramophone Ord.	3⅛	3¼*	
117/0	Imperial Tobacco Ord.	116/3	117/3	
11/0	Jute Indus. Pref.	11/3	12/3	
19/3	Lever 7 p.c. Pref.	19/0	19/6	
—	Lever 8 p.c. Debs.	94	96	
17	London Irish Trust (£5)	½	1¼ dis	
—	Mexican Trams	16½	18½	
—	Do. Bonds	65	68	
65½	Do. L. and P. Bonds	65	68	
35/3	Nobel Ord.	35/3	36/3	+0/3
22/0	Do. Pref.	22/6	23/6	
17/6	Do. Def.	17/6	18/0	+0/3
35/6	Parent Trust Def.	1⅝	1⅞	
20/0	Do. Ord.	1	1⅛*	
29/6	Platt Bros. Ord.	29/3	30/3	
—	Prov. Cine. 7½ p.c. Pf.Ord.	⅝	¾	
35/0	Rolls Royce	34/9	35/9	+0/3
28/6	Salt Union	1⅜	1½	
101½	San Paulo Tram Deb.	100	105	
275	Shawinigan Water Com.	269	275	
14⅜	Swedish Match "B"	14 3/16	14 11/16	+ ⅛
38/0	Schweppes Def.	1⅞	1	
—	Taylor's Service	29/3	30/3	
—	Tilling Ord.	54/0	55/0	-0/6
—	Do. 5½ p.c. Cum. Pref.	4½	4¾	
—	United Alkali	1 9/16	1 11/16	
32/3	Wallpaper Def.	32/0	32/6	

*Ex div. †Ex rights. ‡Cum. div. ‖Ex bonus.

LONDON MINING MARKET.

BUSINESS ON A MODEST SCALE.

The Mining departments were by no means conspicuous yesterday, and Kaffirs presented a somewhat rugged appearance. The members of the Anglo-American group maintained the improvements secured on the preceding day, and Far Easterns generally were quite firm. Modderfontein were in increased request. Anglo French fell back on profit-taking, but African and European were harder. The Cape was no longer a supporter of Sub Nigel, but inquiries were forthcoming from that centre for one or two of the Platinum issues. There was very little business passing in the Rhodesian department, and Chartered, Tanks, Zams, Cam and Motor and Sherwood Starr were all content to maintain former levels. Congo Border marked a recovery, and Northern Rhodesia were bid for, but the other Northern issues were very quiet. In the early hours there was a disposition to bang De Beers Def., and the price relapsed rather sharply, but later on a little investment demand was noticed and a recovery occurred, though the final price was still below that ruling on Wednesday. Cons. Diamonds and Options were on offer and fell away, but at the lower level a certain amount of support was forthcoming. The price of tin declined £2 7s. 6d. to £309 7s. 6d. per ton, but this movement had no more effect on the share market than did the previous day's advance in the metal price. Southern Perak were harder, and Tavoy moved up despite adverse rumours, while most of the other usually active counters kept very firm. Rio Tinto, in the copper list, improved, and a demand for Huronian Belt enlivened the Canadian department. Elsewhere, Mexicans were in much better fettle. The low price to which San Francisco had fallen brought in buyers, and Santa Gertrudis, El Oro, Camp Bird and National Mining were all better. Closing prices:—

SOUTH AFRICAN.

M.U.	Nov. 8.	
1⅛	Anglo-Amer. Corp	1⅛ 2
23/6	Anglo-French	25/6 26/0 -0/3
4	Brakpan	4 1/16 4⅛
16⅝	Cent. Min'g (£8)	16⅝-17⅛ + ⅛
4/0	Central W'st (5/)	3/9 4/3
1⅛	City Deep	1⅛-1⅜
1⅛	Con. Goldfields	1⅛-1 3/16 - 1/16
14/6	Cons. Main Reef	13/9-14/3 -0/3
1⅛	Con. M. Sel. (10/)	24/0 24/6
3⅛	Crown Mines (10/)	3⅛ 3⅜
¾	Durban Deep	14/0 15/0
12/9	E. Rand Prop.	12/7½-/10½ -/1½
4	Geduld	4⅛ 4¼
2⅛	Gen. Mining	2⅛ 2¼
11/0	G. M. Investment	10/9-11/3
8⅜	Gover'ment Mines	8 5/16 8⅜ - 1/16
2/3	Hendles Plat. (5/)	2/3 2/9
3/7½	Hendersons (5/)	4/1½-4/4½ +0/3
50/0	Johan'burg I'vs.	50/0-51/0
4/0	Kleinfontein	3/9-4/3
12/6	Knight's	12/0 13/0
20/0	Langlaagte Est.	19/9-20/3
1⅛	Lydenburg Plat.	7/6-8/6
2	Meyer & Charlton	1 15/16-2 1/16
4⅛	M'derfontein (10/)	4⅛-5 + 1/16
21/0	Modder B (5/)	20/9 21/3 -0/3
1⅝	Modder Deep (5/)	1⅝-1¾ - 1/16
15/6	Modder East	15/0-16/0
2 1/16	New State Areas	2 1/16 2 3/16
7/6	Nigel	6/6-7/6
7/3	Nourse Mines	6/9 7/3
3 5/16	Rand Mines (5/)	3 5/16 3 7/16
14/6	Randfontein	14/6 15/0
1⅛	Robinson Dp. B.	1⅛ 2 1/16
1	Rob'son D A (1/)	1 1/16-1 3/16
7/6	Rose Deep	7/6 8/0 +0/3
1 1/32	S.A. Gold Trust	20/3-21/3
18/9	S.A. Towns (10/)	18/9-19/3 +0/3
3 1/16	Springs Mines	3⅛-3 3/16
22/3	Sth. W. Africa	21/6-22/6
2 13/16	Sub Nigel	3 1/16-3⅛ - 1/16
3⅛	Trans. and Del. B.	3⅛-3¼
2⅛	Trans. Con. L (10/)	2 3/16-2 5/16
16/10½	Trans. Devel	16/9-17/0 +0/3
3⅛	Union Corp (12/6)	3⅛-3¼
1⅞	Van Ryn	24/0-25/0 +0/6
2⅜	Van Ryn Deep	2 1/16-2 3/16
42/6	Vereeniging	44/6-45/6 -1/3
5/10½	Village Deep	5/6 6/0
16/9	West Rand Con	16/9-17/3
29/0	West Springs	29/0 29/6
1⅝	Wit'ersrand Deep	1 19/32 1 21/32 - 1/32

RUSSIAN.

7/6	Lena Gold	7/4½-7 7½
4/0	Russo-Asiat. Cns.	4/0 4/3
4/6	Russian Mining	4/0-5/0
¼	Spassky	7/6-8/6

RHODESIAN.

M.U.	Nov. 8.	
10/0	Bechuanaland Ex.	9/9-10/3
8/0	Beira Town Sites	8/6-9/6
7/3	Bwana M'Kubwa	6/10½-7 1½ -/1½
2⅛	Cam and Motor	2⅛-2⅜
27/9	Chart'd B.S.A.	28 4½-7½
6/0	Falcon	5/10½-6/1½ -/1½
18/0	Gaika Gold	16/6-17/6*
16/9	Globe & Phœnix (5/)	17/9-18/3 +1/0
10/10½	Gold F. Rho. (10/)	10/9-11/3
¼	Lonely Reef	⅜-½
1⅛	Rezende	1⅛-1¼
5/4½	R. Broken Hill (5/)	5/3-5/6
4⅛	R. Congo Border.	4⅛-4¼ + ⅛
12/0	Selukwe (2/6)	11/9-12/3
1⅛	Shamva Mines	1⅛-1¼
1	Sherwood Starr (5/)	1-1 1/16
7⅛	S. Rhd. Base Mtls.	6⅞-6⅛ + ⅛
2⅛	Tanganyika	2⅛ 2¼
2⅛	Vic. Falls Ord	2⅛-2¼
32/6	do. Pref.	33/3 33/9
26/6	Wankie Col. (10/)	26/0-27/0
7/10½	Willoughby	7/6-8/0
2	Zambesia Expl	2 1/16 2⅛

DIAMOND.

22/0	Angola Diamond	21/9-22/9
24/6	Con. D. S. W. A.	23/9 24/3 -0/3
18¾	De Beers Def	18¼-18⅝ - 1/16
13⅞	do. Pref.	13¾-14
80/6	Jagersfontein	3 15/16-4 1/16
⅞	N. Val. River	⅞-1
7⅛	Premier Pf. (5/)	7⅛-7⅜*
10/9	West African	19/3 20/3

AUSTRALIAN.

9/9	Amal. Zinc	9/3-10/3 -0/3
—	Associated (4/)	1/1½-1/4½
27/6	Broken Hill Prop.	26/6-27/6 +/4½
3⅛	B. Hill Sth. (New)	3 1/16-3⅛
1⅛	Electro Zinc Pref.	1 1/16-1⅛
6⅛	North Broken Hill	6⅛-6¼
20/9	Sulphide Ord.	20/6-21/6
12/9	South Kalgurli	12/3-13/3
2⅛	Zinc Ord. (10/)	2 1/16-3
4⅛	do. Pref.	4½-4⅝

COPPER.

11/9	Arizona (5/)	⅝-1⅛
2/0	Mount Elliott (£5)	1/16-⅛
26/6	Mount Lyell	26/6-27/6
8/1½	Mount Morgan	7/6 8/6
1⅛	Namaqua	1 1/16-1⅛
40⅞	Rio Tinto (£5)	41⅛-41⅜ + ⅛
4/0	S. American (2/)	3/9 4/3

TIN.

M.U.	Nov. 8.	
15/0	Anglo-Con. (10/)	14/9-15/3
3⅛	Aramayo Mines	3⅛ 3⅜*
22/6	Bauchi Ord. (10/)	22/3-22/9
32/9	do. Pref (10/)	32/3-32/9
11/0	Bisichi	10/6-11/0
20/0	Eastern Trust	19/6-20/6
2⅛	Gopeng	2⅛-2¼
32/9	Ipoh	32/0 33/0 -0/6
24/0	Kaduna Synd (5/)	23/9-24/9
4⅛	Kamunting	4⅛-4¼* - 1/16
5/1½	Kaffi Cons (5/)	5/1½-/4½ +/1½
3⅛	Kramat Pulai	3 1/16-3 3/16
32/0	Malayan T.D.	32/0 33/0
17/3	Mongu	17/9-18/3
1⅛	Naraguta	1 1/16-1⅛
15/6	Pahang (5/)	15/3-15/9 -0/3
1⅛	Rambutan	1⅛-1¼
8/1½	Rayfield (10/)	8/0-8/3
23/9	do. 10 p.c. P. Pf.	23/0 24/0
3⅛	Renong	3⅛-3⅜
16/4½	Ropp (4/ Shs)	15/9-16/3*
29/0	Siamese	28/6-29/6
4/4½	South Bukeru (5/)	4/0-4/6
3⅝	Tavoy	3⅝-3¾ + 1/16
25/3	Tingha Tin	25/0-26/0 -0/3
10/9	Tin Props. (2/)	10/9-11/9
29/3	Tin Selectn. Trst	30/6 31/6
—	Tronoh (5/)	21/9-22/3

WEST AFRICAN.

13/9	Ashanti Gold (4/)	13/9-14/3
11/10½	Fanti Cons. (8/)	11/6-12/0
20/3	Gold Coast Amal.	19/9-20/9 -0/6

MISCELLANEOUS.

4/9	Barrier Trust	4/3-4/9*
14/6	Burma Corp.	14/4½-/7½
10/0	Champion Reef	9/6-10/0 -0/3
1⅛	Chosen Synd "A"	1⅛-1¼
4/3	Colombian Props.	⅝-¾
2⅛	Huronian Belt	2⅛-2¼ + 1/16
6/3	Keeley Silver	6/3 6/6
8/3	Kirkland Lake	7/9-8/3
1⅛	Mexico Mines	1 1/16-1⅛
4⅛	Minerals Separ't'n	4⅛-4¼
11/3	Min. Crp. of Can.	11/0 11/6
14/6	Mysore (10/-)	14/6 15/6
5/9	Nat. Min. (8/)	5/6 6/0 +0/3
7/6	Nundydroog	7/0-8/0
⅜	Nus River Gold	⅜-½
13/3	Ooregum	13/0-14/0
9/3	St. John Del Rey.	8/3 9/3
32/9	San Francisco (10/)	32/0 32/6 +0/6
13/6	Santa Gertrudis	14/6-15/0 +0/6
7/0	Vipond	6/6 6/9
18/6	Waihi Gold	⅞-1⅛* -0/3

* Ex. Dividend. † Ex. Rights.

DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS.

AERATED BREAD CO., LTD.—Final dividend of 1/3 per share, less tax, on the Ordinary, for the year ended October 2, 1926. An interim dividend of 9d. per share was paid on the Ordinary on June 1 last, so that the total for the year is 2/- per share, the same as for the two previous periods.

ADELAIDE ELECTRIC SUPPLY CO.—Final dividend on Ord. of 6 per cent. actual, making 12 per cent. for the year ended August 31, 1926, free of British tax in the case of shares registered on the London Register.

ANNANDALE AND SON.—Final dividend on Ord. Shares at 9 per cent. actual, less tax, making 15 per cent.

BEGOH CONSOLIDATED RUBBER.—Final dividend of 10 per cent., less tax, making a total of 15 per cent. for the year.

BANK OF BRITISH WEST AFRICA.—Interim dividend at rate of 4 per cent. per annum, less tax. (Same.)

BAMGAON TEA CO.—Interim Ord. dividend of 10 per cent., less tax.

BALIJAN TEA CO.—Interim dividend of 5 per cent. actual on account of season 1926.

BALDWINS, LTD.—A net credit balance of £11,168 as a result of the year's working to 30th June last. For the previous year there was a net debit of £89,432 on the year's trading, and £350,000 had to be written off investments. Trading profits for last year amounted to £255,255, against £213,601, and the credit balance brought in to £237,195 compared with £526,618 which came into the 1924-25 accounts. As announced last July, no dividends are being paid on either the 5½ per cent. or the 5 per cent. "B" Cumulative Preference Shares. The former are one year and the latter eighteen months in arrears. The final dividend on the 5½ per cent. Preference for the half-year to June, 1925, was paid on 22nd December last. After meeting Debenture charges, and allowing £19,562—against £32,926—for expenditure on works, there remains £241,489 to go forward, compared with £237,196 brought in. The Ordinary Shares have received no dividend since the 5 per cent. paid for 1920-21.

BOMBAY, BARODA AND CENTRAL INDIA RAILWAY.—The directors have authorised payment in January next, in addition to the half-year's guaranteed interest of £1 10/- per cent., an interim dividend of £1 10/- per cent. in respect of profits for financial year 1926-27. (Same as last year.)

COMMERCIAL BANK OF SCOTLAND.—Directors recommend payment of dividends for second half of year ended October 31 last at 16 per cent. per annum on "A" shares and 10 per cent. per annum on "B" shares, both less tax.

CONSOLIDATED GOLD FIELDS OF SOUTH AFRICA, LTD.—Dividend on Ordinary Shares, 12½ per cent., less tax. Last year the dividend was also 12½ per cent., less tax.

CARRONGROVE PAPER.—Dividend of 7 per cent., less tax, on Ord., making 12 per cent. for year.

CALDWELLS PAPER MILL.—Final dividend of 5 per cent., less tax, on Ord. Shares.

DERBY TEA CO.—Interim Ord. dividend of 5 per cent., less tax.

ELECTRIC CONSTRUCTION CO.—Following interim dividends in respect of profits for the year ending March 31, 1927:—At rate of 7 per cent. per annum on the Pref., less tax, and at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum on Ord., less tax. (Same.)

EASTMAN KODAK OF NEW JERSEY.—Regular dividend of 1½ per cent. on Preferred Stock, regular dividend of $1.25 per share on Common Stock, extra dividend of $0.75 per share on Common Stock.

FOOTHILLS MALAYA RUBBER.—Interim dividend of 7½ per cent. actual, less tax. (Same.)

HENRY BRUCE AND SONS.—Dividend of 2/6 per share on Ord. Shares, less tax.

ISA BHEEL TEA CO.—Interim Ord. dividend of 10 per cent., less tax.

JAVA AMALGAMATED RUBBER.—Interim dividend of 7½ per cent. on account of year ending December 31, 1926, less tax. In 1925 there was no interim dividend, but 25 per cent was paid at end of year.

JAVA RUBBER AND PRODUCE.—Interim dividend of 20 per cent., less tax, in respect of year ending December 31, 1926. (Last year the interim was 25 per cent.)

J. LYONS AND CO., LTD.—Interim dividend for the half-year ended September 30, 1926, of 1/8 per share on the issued Ordinary and "A" Ordinary Share capital, and one-fifth of this amount (4d.) per share on the issued proportional profit and "B" proportional profit share capital. These distributions are unchanged from those made at this time last year.

LICHFIELD BREWERY.—Dividend of 6d. per share on Pref., less tax, and a dividend of 1/3 per share on Ord., less tax, making 5 per cent. per annum on Pref. and 11 2-3 per cent. per annum on Ord.

MERBAU RUBBER ESTATES.—Final dividend at rate of 12½ per cent., less tax, making 20 per cent. for the year, less tax. (15 per cent. last year.)

NEW ZEALAND LOAN AND MERCANTILE AGENCY CO.—Final dividend on Ord. Stock of 4 per cent., making 7 per cent. for the year (same), less tax (same).

PALACE AND DERBY CASTLE.—Dividend of 5 per cent. on Pref. and a dividend of 10 per cent. on Ord. Shares.

QUEEN'S CLUB GARDENS ESTATES.—Dividend of 8 per cent. less tax.

SECOND INDUSTRIAL TRUST.—Following final distributions for the year to September 30, 1926:—On the Cum. Pref. shares a dividend at rate of 4½ per cent. per annum, less tax, in respect of the half-year to September 30, 1926; on the Ord. a dividend at rate of 9 per cent. per annum, less tax, for the half-year to September 30, 1926, making 7 per cent. for the year.

SELF-SEALING RUBBER.—Dividend of 12 per cent., free of tax.

TRUST AND LOAN CO. OF CANADA.—Interim dividend at rate of 6 per cent. per annum for the six months ended September 30 last, free of British tax.

TRUSTEES CORPORATION.—Dividend on Preference Stock at rate of 4½ per cent. per annum, less tax, for half-year.

WALLARAH COAL CO.—Interim dividend for half-year ending June 30, 1926, of 9d. per share, free of tax. (Interim dividend declared last year was 1/- per share, free of tax.)

DEALINGS IN LONDON MARKET.

The following dealings among active stocks and shares were "marked" in London yesterday:—

Consols—54 7/16, 9/16, ⅜, ⅜, 15/32, 17/32, ½. **5 p.c. War Loan**—99 13/32, [illegible]. **Funding Loan**—84⅝, ¾, [illegible]. **Conversion Loan 3½ p.c.**—74 11/16, [illegible]. **Australia 5 p.c. Stock**—96½, [illegible]. **Aerated Bread**—29/4½, 3d., 9d., 6d. **African and Eastern**—28/-, 6d., 3d., 7½d., 4½d., 7/10½. **Allied Newspapers Ord.**—52/3, 5d., 3d. **Amalgamated Press**—60/9, 7½d., 1/-, 3d., 4½d., 6d. **Anglo-Dutch Rubber**—*54/6, 4/-, 6d., 3/10½. **Assoc. Cement**—16/10½, 17/0¾, 16/9, 17/1½, 17/-. **Assoc. Newspapers Def.**—7½, 17/32, 9/16, ⅝, 33-64, 19/32, 7/16. **Beecham Estates Pref.**—22/-. **Bovril Def.**—40/3, 2½d., 4½d. **Brazilian Traction**—111⅛, 10¾, ¼, 11⅛, 10½. **British-American Tobacco**—*95/6, 9d., 6/-, 5/3, 4½d., 9d., 10½d., *5/-, 7½d. **British Oil and Cake**—26/-, 5/6. **Buenos Ayres Great Southern**—98, 7½, ¾, ⅞, ¾, ¼. **Canadian Pacific**—169¼, ¼, *170¼, 168¾, 9. **Central Argentine Cons.**—71¼, ¾, 1½, ⅝, *1, 70⅝, ¾. **Coats**—60/3, 59/7½, 6d., 9d., 60/-. **Cook (St. Paul's) Ord.**—19/-, 3d., *18/6. **Courtaulds**—5 13-64, 7/32, ¼, 5/16, 15-64, £5 4/6, £5 4/9, 5 13-64, 17-64; **do. Pref.**—18/9¾, 7½d., 9d. **Cunard Ord.**—18/-. **"Daily Mail" Trust**—63/10½, 9d., 11¼d., 4/-. **"Daily Mirror" Ord.**—7 27/32, ⅞, 29/32, 53-64, 13/16, 15/16, 59-64, 55-64, 57-64, 31/32, 8, 7¾. **Dunlop Ord.**—28/3, 8¼d., 6d., 6¾d., 7½d., 9d., 5¼d., *4½d., 9d., 8¼d.; **do. "C" Pref.**—23/10½, 4½d.; **do. 6 p.c. Debs.**—104½, *3½. **Elder-Dempster 6 p.c. Pref.**—17/10½. **English Sewing Cotton**—53/-, *2/3, 3d., 9d. **East Asiatic**—4/-, 4½d., 3/0¾, 11¼d. **Fine Cotton Spinners**—42/3, 9d., 3/-, 3d., 2/6. **General Electric Ord.**—29/3, 8/9; **do. Debs.**—104½, 5½. **German 3 p.c.**—16/6; **do. 7 p.c. External Loan**—102½, ⅞, ¾, 3. **Grand Central Rubber**—48/-, 7/3, 6d., 6/10½. **Great Western Rail**—89, *9, ⅛, ⅝, *¼, *⅛, ½, ¼; **do. 5 p.c. Pref.**—93¼, ¾. **Greek 7 p.c. Refugee**—91⅞, 2⅛, 2¼. **Harland and Wolff Pref.**—14/7½, 6d., 9d., 11¼d., 10½d. **Harrods Ord.**—56/6, 3d., 5/9, 5/6, 6/-, 10½d., 9d. **Highlands Rubber**—57/9¾, 6d., 8/1½. **Hudson's Bay Ord.**—5 19/32, 39-64, 9/16, £5 12/3, 5⅝. **Hungarian 7½ p.c., 1924**—103¾, 3. **Imperial Tobacco**—117/3, 1½d., 16/10½, 9d., 17/-, *16/10½, 17/-; **do. Canada**—26/9. **Lever 7 p.c. Pref.**—19/-, 3d., 1½d., 4½d., 3¾d., *18/10½. **Lever 8 p.c. Pref.**—18/4½, 3¾d., 1½d., *18/-. **Lipton Ord.**—10/7½. **Lister Ord.**—22/6, 7½d. **London Asiatic Rubber**—6/9¾, 10½d., 11¼d., 7½d., 7/-. **London Midland and Scottish Ord.**—73½, ¾, *⅜, ⅝, 4⅛, ¼, 3⅝, ⅞, 4, 30, *30, *49¾, 50⅛, ⅜, ½, ⅝. **London and N.E. Pref.-Ord.**—*50⅛, ⅛, ¼, ½. **London and N.E. Def.-Ord.**—*18¼, *⅜, ½, ¼. **Lake Debs.**—104¼, ½. **Lovell and Christmas Ord.**—30/7½. **Lyons (J.) and Co. Ord.**—*78/9. **Malayalam Rubber**—43/-, 2/9. **Marconi Ord.**—15/9, 7½d., 6d., *16/-, 15/10½, 3d.; **do. Marine**—22/3. **Maypole Def.**—5/0¾. **Metropolitan Rail**—60½. **Metropolitan District**—58, ¼, ¾, 7⅞, 8½, ⅛, 9, 8⅝, ⅞, ⅛. **Nobel Indus.**—35/4½, 3d., 3d., 7½d., 9d., *5/-, **do. Pref.**—22/9; **do. Deferred**—17/7½, 11¼d., 4½d., *18/-. **Parent Def.**—35/1½. **Peruvian Corporation Pref.**—50¾, 1¼. **Phillips (Godfrey) Ord.**—90/-, 89/8¼, 4½d., 8/9. **Provincial Cinema Theatres**—14/3, 13/10½. **Radio Corporation Pref.**—10 1/16. **Rubber Trust**—43/9, 4/-, 1½d. **Selfridge Ord.**—27/-, 6/10½, *7/-, 6/9, 3d.; **do. Pref.**—*23/3, 3d., *6d. **Smithfield and Argentine**—8/5¼. **Southern Rail Pref.-Ord.**—78¼, *78⅛, ⅞, 8; **do. Def.-Ord.**—45⅝, ⅝, ⅝, ⅝, ½, ¾, ⅝, ¾. **Sudan Plantations**—5 1/32, 1-64, 4 31/32, ⅞. **"Sunday Pictorial" Ord.**—85/7½, 3/9, 5/-, 4/4½, 6¼d. **Swedish Match "B"**—14 21/32, ⅝, ⅝. **Underground Income Bonds**—101¾, ⅞, ¼, ⅞, ¾. **Union Cold Storage 6 p.c. Pref.**—19/1½, 6d., 3d. **United Dairies** (x.d.)—31/3, 6d., 9d., 2/-, *1/3, 7½d., 2/-. **United of Havana Rail** (x.d.)—66¾, 7. **United Serdang Rubber**—7/0½, 7/-, 6/11¼, 9¾d. **United Tobacco**—*95/7½. **Vickers**—8/10½, 9/1½, 9/-, *8/9, 9/2¼. **Watney Combe Def.**—261, 59. **Westminster Bank**—18 13/16, ¾, 11/16, ⅞. **White, Tomkins Ord.**—23/4½.

(*Exceptional bargain at special price.)

BANK OF ENGLAND RETURN.

INCREASE IN THE RESERVE.

Although the coin and bullion of the Bank of England diminished by about three-quarters of a million during the past week, the reserve is less than £44,000 down, owing to a contraction of nearly £705,000 in the note circulation. The coin and bullion has been reduced to little over 152 millions, and the reserve to a little under 33 millions. The other securities are two millions lower, a movement offset to the extent of £775,000 by an increase in the Government securities, while the public deposits are £520,000 lower. Consequently the decline in the private deposits is about £905,000, reducing that item to a little over 102 millions. Compared with the corresponding week last year, the reserve shows an increase of over 6¼ millions, the coin and bullion one of 4 millions, and the ratio an increase of about 5¾ per cent.

WEEK ENDED NOVEMBER 10, 1926.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

Notes Issued	£170,247,940	Govt. Debt	£11,015,100
		Other Securities	8,734,900
		Gold Coin and Bullion	150,497,940
	£170,247,940		£170,247,940

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

Proprietors' Capital	£14,553,000	Government Securities	£36,210,435
Rest	3,195,191	Other Securities	69,366,346
Public deposits	18,637,775	Notes	31,413,455
Other deposits	102,163,819	Gold & Silver Coin	1,562,594
7-day & other Bills	3,055		
	£138,552,830		£138,552,830

Compared with last week:	Increase.	Decrease.
	£	£
Circulation (excluding 7-day and other Bills)	—	702,880
Public Deposits	—	520,437
Other Deposits	—	904,511
Government Securities	775,000	—
Other Securities	—	2,099,791
Bullion	—	746,548
Rest	57,161	—
Reserve	—	19,110

Proportion of Reserve to Liabilities 27 5/16%, against 27% last week.

The following shows the position of the Bank of England now and during the previous two years:—

	1926.	1925.	1924.
	£	£	£
Circulation (excluding 7-day and other Bills)	138,834,495	141,519,185	122,870,320
Public Deposits	18,637,775	13,168,532	15,862,522
Other Deposits	102,163,819	103,199,348	106,493,504
Govt. Securities	36,210,435	39,402,794	40,698,448
Other Securities	69,366,346	74,422,075	72,621,485
Reserve of Notes & Coin	32,976,049	26,288,904	25,373,933
Coin & Bullion	152,060,534	148,059,069	128,494,253
Reserve to Liabilities	27 5/16%	21⅛%	20⅞%
Bank Rate	5%	4%	4%
Consols	54⅝	55	58¾
Bar Silver	24 11/16d.	32d.	34d.
Clearinghouse Return	768,972,000	794,216,000	610,997,000

THE MONEY MARKET.

CONDITIONS EASIER.

Easier conditions prevailed in Lombard street yesterday owing to the release of funds previously called in, while the banks were buying short-dated Treasuries. Old day-to-day money went on at 4 p.c., while fresh borrowers were able to obtain accommodation at 4¼ down to 4 p.c. and under. The discount market was quiet, apart from the inquiry for short-dated Treasuries by the banks, which were bidding for December bills at 4½ and for January at 4 11/16 p.c. The new Treasuries were changing hands at 4 11/16 p.c. to 1/32 over.

Bank Rate Discount (changed Dec. 2, 1925), 5%

60 days (fine)	4¾%			
3 months	4¾ 4 13/16%	Trade	5	5½%
4 months	4 13/16%		5¼	5¾%
6 months	4⅞%		5¼	6%
Loans to brokers day-to-day	4¼%			
for a week	4%			
Deposit allowance: Banks at call	3%			
Discount houses at call	3%			
at notice	3¼%			

The Bank of England announced the sale of £250,000 in sovereigns to Canada, and of £8,000 in bar gold. A sharp recovery took place in bar silver as a result of Indian buying, coupled with a scarcity of supplies, both the spot and forward prices rising 1/16d. to 25⅜d. and 25¼d. per oz. respectively. The market closed uncertain. The market price of gold remained at 84s. 11½d. per fine oz.

The American exchange improved to 4.84 15/16, closing at the day's highest figure. Among South American currencies, Brazilian milreis continued weak. French francs were hardly changed, while Belgas showed some appreciation at 34.81⅞, and to a slight extent Germany, Austria, Denmark and Greece moved against us. Italian lire were much worse at 118⅞. Pesetas lost the previous day's appreciation, and the currencies of Norway, Sweden and Rumania were rather cheaper. The Eastern exchanges were steady to firm, the Bombay rate hardening to 1s. 5 55/64d.

—	Nov. 11 Closing Rates.		Nov. 10 Closing Rates.		Par Rate
Amsterdam	12.11¾	12.12	12.11¾	12.12	12.10
B. Ayres	45 25/32	45 29/32	45 27/32	45 31/32	47 5/8d.
Barcelona	32.02	32.04	32.04	32.08	25.22½
Berlin	20.41	20.42	20.41½	20.42½	20.43
Brussels	34.81	34.82	34.82	34.83	35.00*
Calcutta	1/5 53-64	1/5 55-64	1/5 53-64	1/5 55-64	2/0
Copenhagen	955	970	18.20	18.22	18.159
Geneva	25.13	25.14	25.13	25.14	25.22½
Greece	391	394	393	397	25.22½
Helsingfors	192½	192¾	192½	192¾	193.23
Italy	118½	119	116½	116¾	25.22½
Kobe (p.yn.)	2/0¼	2/0 5/16	2/0 3/32	2/0 5/16	24.58d.
Montreal	4.84	4.84⅛	4.84	4.84⅛	4.86 2/3
Montevideo	49¾d.	49⅞d.	49⅝d.	49⅞d.	51d.
New York	4.84¾	4.84⅞	4.84 11/16	4.84¾	4.86 2/3
Oslo	19.37	19.39	19.34	19.37	18.159
Paris	150¼	150½	150⅜	150⅝	25.22½
Prague	163½	163¾	163½	163¾	24.02
Rio de Jan	6 3/16	6 11/32	6 3/16	6¼	27d.
Shanghai	2/5	2/5½	2/4⅞	2/5⅛	
Singapore	2/3¾	2/3 15/16	2/3¾	2/3 15/16	2/4
Stockholm	18.16	18.17	18.16½	18.16½	18.16
Vienna	34.38	34.43	34.40	34.43	34.58½
Warsaw	42	45	42	45	25.22½

* Belga.

DUBLIN BUSINESS DONE.

FUNDS FIRM. GUINNESS HARDER. COURTAULDS GOOD. RAILS IRREGULAR. DUNLOP FIRM.

Compensation 5 per cent. Stock rose ¼ to 97½, but National 5 per cent. Loan, for an odd lot, fetched 98¼, or ¼ lower. Land Bonds 4½ per cent. repeated 90.

British Funds were again rather harder. War Loan 5 per cent. repeated 99 9/16, but Consols rose 1/16 to 54⅝, and Irish Land 2¾ per cent. ⅛ to 57⅛.

Banks remain wanted. Bank Stock rose 1 to 290, and Munster and Leinsters repeated 7.

In Breweries, Guinness Ord. opened unchanged, but sellers at 60¼; but at the later market 60¼ was paid.

British and Irish Steam Pref. rose 3d. to 15s. 6d. for a few shares.

Rails were quiet. Great Northern fell ¼ to 25, but the Guaranteed closed buyers and unchanged at 51¼. Great Southern Ord. eased ¼ to 19¼ for an odd lot, but the Pref. rose ⅛ to 38, and the Guaranteed ¼ to 52¼, but Loop Line Guaranteed was offered and fell 3 to 55.

In Trams, Dublin United Ord. opened unaltered at 6⅝, with later dealing at 6⅞.

Dunlop Rubber Ord. rose 1½d. to 28s. 4½d., 28s. 6d.

Alliance Gas opened ⅛ lower at 8⅜ for a small lot, but later 8 7/16 was paid and bid.

In Drapery Shares Pim Bros. Ord. rose 9d. to 50s. 3d.

Among Manufacturing Shares, British-American Tobacco repeated 95s. 6d., and Imperials 117s. Courtaulds rose 1s. 3d. to 104s. 9d. after all offered at 103s. 9d. had been absorbed. Coats eased 3d. to 60s. Lever Bros. 7 p.c. Pref. repeated 19s. 1½d., but the 8 p.c. Pref. fell 1½d. to 18s. 1½d. Vickers were unchanged at 9s.

In Trading, etc., Irish-American Oil Pref. were firm and unaltered at 21s. 6d. Dublin Artisan Dwellings closed ⅛ higher at 6 to 6⅛ nominally. *Irish Times* Pref. issues were marked ex-dividend, but did not change hands. Gresham Hotel Shares quoted 7¼, and Cross and Blackwell Ord. 2s 6d. for the 1s. shares.

Mexican Eagle Oil fell 1½d. to 20s. 6d. British-Controlled Common opened 3d. lower at 4s. 7¼d., but later business was done at 5s. Burmah Oils realised 123s. 4½d., x.d.

BUSINESS DONE:

National Ln.	(98¼) *98⅛	Pim Ord.	(49/6) 50/3
Compens. Stock	(97) 97½	B.A.T.	(95/6) 95/6
Land Bonds	(90) 90	Imp. Tob.	(117/-) 117/-
Consols	(54⅝) 54⅝	Coats	(60/3) 60/-
5% War Ln.	(99 9/16) 99 9/16	Courtaulds	(103/6) 103/10½ 4/9
Land Stk. 1903	(57) 57⅛	Crosse & Blackwell	(4/-) 2/6
Bank Stock	(289) 290c	Lever 7%	(19/1½) 19/1½
Mun. & Lein. Bk.	(7) *7	Do. 8%	(18/3) 18/1½
Guinness	(60¼) 60¼	Vickers	(9/-) 9/-
B. & I. Stm.	(15/3) 15/6	Burmah Oil	(121/-) *123/4½ x.d.
G.N. Ord.	(25¼) 25	Irish-Amer. Oil Pref.	21/6
Do. Guar.	(51¼) 51¼	Con. Oil Com.	4/7¼ *5/-
G.S. Ord.	(19½) *19¼	Mex. Eagle Ord.	20/6
Do. Pref.	(37⅞) 38	Art. Dwlgs.	(6) 6¼ 6⅛
Do. Guar.	(52) 52¼	Gresham Hotel	(7) *7¼
Do. "Loop" Line	(58) 55	Dunlops	(28/4½) 28/4½
Dublin Tram.	(6⅝) *6⅝		
Alliance Gas	(8¼) *8⅜ ⅛		
Arnott Ord.	(93/1½) 93/6		

* Odd lot, a asked, b bid, c cash.
(Last business done given in parentheses.)

IRISH BANKS RATE.

Discount	6 p.c.	Dec. 3, 1925.
Deposit	2½ p.c.	Dec. 3, 1925.

STOCK EXCHANGE SETTLEMENTS.

Contango	Nov. 22	Dec. 6
Mining ticket	Nov. 23	Dec. 7
General ticket	Nov. 24	Dec. 8
Account day	Nov. 25	Dec. 9

BELFAST.

There was very little business doing. 5 p.c. War Loan changed hands at 99⅝, ⅝, 11/16, 11/16. 3½ p.c. Conversion Loan advanced to 74 11/16. 4 p.c. Victory Bonds were lower at 91 11/16. Midland Bank repeated 8⅜. Treasury Bonds 5½ p.c. were done at 101¼. Belfast Corporation 5 p.c. new repeated 96⅞. Shell Transport 4⅝. Coats Ord. advanced to 60s. 1½d. Dunville's fell back to 8⅛. Dunlops unchanged at 28s. 3d. Lever Bros 7 p.c. Cum. Pref. repeated 19s. 4½d. Mc Stevenson and Orr 5 p.c. 11s.

NOT FOR THE UNITED STATES.

When Mr. John Kilbane, for the third time, applied for a licence for his hotel in Achill Island (which was granted), Mr. Fitzgerald-Kenny, K.C., for the applicant, asked a Civic Guard Sergeant how many people from the United States stayed at Mr. Kilbane's hotel.

Judge Power, amidst laughter, told the sergeant not to answer, as it was not for the United States that he was granting the licence.

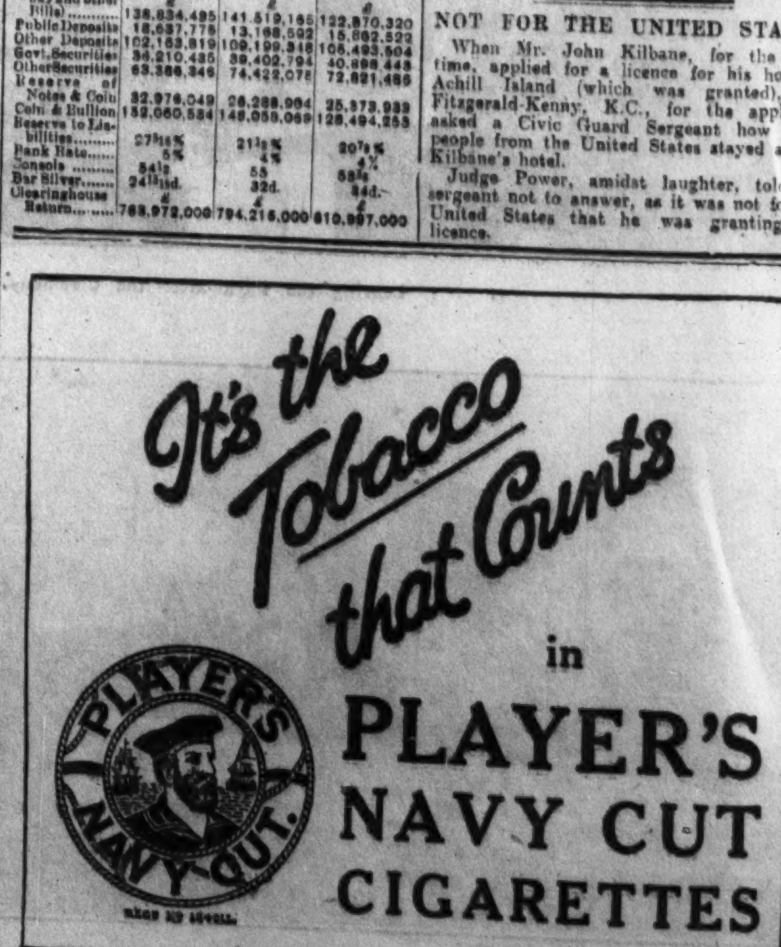
NO WAR BONUSES FOR MEN ON SERVICE.

£250,000 TEST CASE AT LIVERPOOL.

A test case involving a sum of £250,000 in respect of war bonuses was decided in favour of the Liverpool Corporation by Mr. Justice Branson at the Liverpool Assizes.

A claim was made by eight ex-Service municipal employés for war bonus, in addition to the Corporation's active service grant, it being contended that, under the resolutions passed by the City Council in 1914, the men remained in the service of the Corporation, and were entitled to the increased emoluments received by the employés who remained at home.

The Corporation successfully contended that the bonuses did not apply to men in the Forces.



FINANCIAL NEWS AND NOTES.

TONE AND COMMENT.

DUBLIN INTERESTING.

BANK STOCK 290.

Quietly firm markets were experienced yesterday on 'Change, but at no point was brisk dealing indulged in. Remembrance Day, with Services, parades, and the Cenotaph ceremony, all occupied attention, and tended to detract from business activity on 'Change. The Funds were scarcely altered, but the tendency all over was rather to support prices. The demand for Bank of Ireland Stock was again considerable at a further advance. An improved volume of support turned up for Guinness Ordinary Shares, though the sale pressure was still in evidence at the opening of the market. British and Irish Steam Pref. were in demand, and the price hardened a little. Marconi Shares were firmer in tone. Rails moved irregularly, with steady support for Pre.-Ord. issues, but "Loop" Line Guaranteed fell smartly, while Ord. Stocks were quoted lower. Dublin United Tram Ord. were supported, and the same remark applies to Alliance Gas Shares at rather lower quotations. Drapery Shares closed harder. Tobaccos were just steady. The feature in Textiles was the solid investment support extended to Courtaulds. Coats were freely dealt in at 60s. Lever Bros. Pref. issues were quiet. Dublin Artisans' Dwellings closed in request. Dunlop Rubber Ord. were again absorbed at a slight gain.

LONDON SMALL.

ANOTHER RISE IN DISTRICTS.

Members of the Stock Exchange were assembled in full force in the "House" yesterday morning and the Silence was observed with due solemnity, being followed by the singing of the National Anthem. On resumption the volume of business in the majority of departments proved small, but with few exceptions a generally steady tone was maintained. A slightly harder tendency was manifest in the gilt-edged section, and Foreign Government Stocks also displayed a firmer appearance. Among Home Rails, Metropolitan issues were again a feature of strength, the Consols gaining a point, while Districts were marked 2 points better. Little of interest transpired in Colonial and Foreign Rails. Rubbers were again quite, and in the absence of business quotations were inclined to sag. Among Mines, Tin shares displayed an easier tendency, in sympathy with the fall in the metal, and South Africans were irregular. Oils also showed irregularity at the commencement of business, but later a strong tone developed and prices were marked forward sharply. Industrials were quiet. Among Textiles, Courtaulds displayed a firmer appearance, but Nueras were marked down. Iron and Steels were firm in tone, and Dunlops also displayed a firmer front.

ASSURED PROSPERITY FOR RUBBER.

Interesting comments on the rubber position are made by a firm of Mincing lane brokers, who point out that under the revised scheme manufacturers will be able to fill their requirements and estimate their production costs for the next twelve months, which is what few other industries are able to do to-day. Shareholders will be able to estimate within a reasonable margin the potential profits of planted areas, and the investment prospects of Rubber Shares, as distinguished from the speculative element, are stronger. With motor transport steadily expanding, even in remote parts of the world, the demand for rubber is bound to expand, and it is considered that there are many years of assured prosperity ahead.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

It is reported that two Stock Exchange seats have been sold for $158,000 and $160,000 respectively, subject to the approval of the Stock Exchange Committee. The previous sale reported was at $142,000 on 4th November.

HOLDING THE COTTON SURPLUS.

The cotton interests in Georgia have decided upon the immediate withdrawal of 300,000 bales of cotton from the market for eighteen months or two years, or until the market is satisfactory, in order to relieve the situation caused by the low price of staple cotton. The Georgian banks have arranged the financing of the transaction without appealing to the Government's financial agencies to furnish funds for advances to the cotton-growers, who will place the cotton in a holding pool. It is announced that five of the largest banks have underwritten a $12,000,000 fund to finance the holding movement, which also is for the purpose of marketing the 300,000 bales in orderly fashion.

PROVINCIAL EXCHANGES.

BIRMINGHAM.—Motors keep firm, Dennis an outstanding feature. Singers and Rovers improved. Humbers reacted slightly. Lucas flat. Dunlops active at better prices. Austins Debentures 88⅞; Bluemels, 40/-; Components, 6/-; S.T.D., 4/4½; Enfield, 30/6; Humbers, 45/3; Lucas, 69/6; Dennis, 104/-; Napiers, 32/6; Rolls-Royce, 35/3; Rovers, 7/-; Singers, 45/9; Standards, 37/-; Swifts, 2/-; Triumphs, 29/-; Dunlops, 28/6; Parent Deferred, 36/-.

MANCHESTER.—Textiles a quiet, but steady market. Bleachers, 42/6-43/-; Calicos, 28/9-29/3; Bradford Dyers, 47/6-48/-; Sewing Cottons, 52/-53/-; Fine Spinners, 42/-43/-; "Slubbers," 7/6-7/9; Coats, 59/6-60/6; Ship Canal, 16/-16/3; Velvets, 21/6-22/6; Courtaulds, 103/9-105/-; Dunlops, 28/6-28/9; Amalgamated Cottons, 5/6-5/9; Hoyles, 25/6-26/-; Nuera Silk 31/-, do. Pref. 22/6.

INSURANCE SHARES.

BUSINESS DONE IN LONDON:—Alliance Assurance, £15 9/-, £15 8/-, 15½; do. New, 16 1/16, 16, £16 2/-, 15 31/32; Commercial Union, 55/-, 2/6; Employers' Liability, 82/-, 1/3; General Accident, 8, 5/16; Guardian Assurance, 6⅝; Northern Assurance, £14 2/-, £14 1/9; Prudential "A" Shares, 21¾, ⅞; do. "B" Shares, 37/3¾, 3d., 6d.; Royal Insurance, 31⅞, £31 16/6, 31 11/16, £31 14/-; Scottish Union, 10 7/16, ½; Sun Life Assurance, 44¼, ⅛.

BUSINESS DONE IN LIVERPOOL:—Commercial Union, 24¾, 13/16, ¾; Employers' Liability, 81/3; General Accident, 8⅛; Guardian Assurance, 6 21/32; London and Lancashire, Law Union and Rock, 98; North British, 22 11/16; Northern Assurance, 14⅛, 3/3, ½; Phoenix Assurance, 269/-, 70/-; Royal Insurance, 31⅛.

RUBBER CROPS FOR OCTOBER.

Straits Rubber, 290,000 (221,843); Rubana, 113,000 (55,982); Tali Ayer, 115,000 (104,444); Bagan Serai, 45,500 (36,806); Batak Rabit, 37,000 (32,325); Glenshiel, 51,578 (47,450); Karu, 29,000 (25,502); Merchiston, 47,000 (40,086); Sabrang, 113,500 (75,772). (Crops for October, 1925, in parentheses.)

BRITISH TRADE IN OCTOBER.

LESS COAL IMPORTED.

The Board of Trade returns for October show exports of £53,176,663, an increase of £2,496,660 on September, and imports of £111,013,703, which is £9,289,362 over the previous month. The weight of coal coming into Britain during October was 3,489,083 tons, whereas in September it was 3,940,860 tons. There was not a considerable change in the total value, however, for that imported during October cost £7,722,940, while for the preceding month the price paid was £7,749,101. The total amount of coal exported was 3,812 tons, of the value of £2,408. Of this, 3,609 tons went to Finland, 195 to the Irish Free State and 8 tons to Chile. In the month of October, 1925, Britain exported 4,382,484 tons of coal of the value of £4,017,907. Exports for the first ten months of this year were of the value of £549,121,463, a decrease of £97,218,929, as compared with the same period of 1925.

DUBLIN SHIPPING REPORT.

Barometer, at 5 p.m.—29.10. Wind and Weather—Fresh Westerly winds, with passing showers.

Foreign Arrivals—Stock Force, of Whitehaven (499 tons register), Captain Cousins, from Antwerp, with a cargo of coal, discharging at City quay; Moorwood, of London (1,090 tons register), Captain Dyason, from Hamburg, with a cargo of briquets, discharging at North Wall Extension; Guelder Rose, of Liverpool (301 tons register), Captain Jones, from Antwerp, with a cargo of coal, discharging at City quay; Waalhaven, of Rotterdam (2,169 tons register), Captain Jordi, from Baltimore, with a cargo of coal, discharging at North Wall Extension.

Coastwise Arrivals—Lady Louth from Liverpool, Olive from Heysham, Lady Wimborne from London—with passengers and goods; Slieve Donard and Snowdon from Holyhead, with goods; Slievemore from Holyhead, light.

Foreign Departures—Greathope, of Newcastle (1,292 tons register), Captain Kell, for Spain, light; Trevethoe, of St. Ives (2,770 tons register), Captain Dixon, for Birkenhead, with part cargo (wheat); Inveresk, of Glasgow (855 tons register), Captain Hughes, for San Esteban, light; Trilo, of Rotterdam (375 tons register), Captain Boll, for Amsterdam and Rotterdam, via Belfast, with general cargo; Patricia, of Cardiff (342 tons register), Captain Kane, for Boulogne, light.

Coastwise Departures—Lady Louth for Liverpool, Olive for Heysham, Puma for Glasgow—with passengers and goods; Slieve Donard and Snowdon for Holyhead, Lady Kildare for Liverpool, Lady Wicklow for Manchester—with goods; Slievemore for Holyhead, with live stock; Delgarth Force for Newlyn, light.

LONDON CHANGES.

Business remained on a small scale in the gilt-edged market, but the tone was, if anything, a trifle firmer. Actual price movements, however, were few and far between, and, with the exception of War Loan 3½ per cent., which finished at an advance of ¼ to 98¾, final values were the same as on Wednesday. Among Colonial Government Stocks, Ceylon 6 per cent., at 108, were a point to the good.

Dealings continued extremely small in Foreign Government Stocks. Peruvian Corporation Debs. finished a full point firmer at 99. Brazil 4 per cent. 1889 at 53, and Chinese 5 per cent. 1912 at 51½, were also both a point harder on the day. Egyptian Unified at 81¼, and Turkish Unified at 21¼, were both ¼ easier on the day's business.

RAILS BETTER.

A firmer tone was manifest among Home Rails, and Metropolitan issues provided the feature. Districts jumped to 58½, or 2 points above the overnight level, while Consols at 60½ were a point harder. Midland Ord. finished at an advance of ½ to 74.

An extremely quiet tone ruled in Colonial and Foreign Rails, and final prices as a rule were much the same as before. B.A. issues were a trifle easier in places, the Western losing a point to 83½, while Central Argentine at 71½ were ½ down. Cordoba Central Ord., on the other hand, moved up the turn to 33½, or ½ firmer. United Havana were quoted x.d. at 66½.

RUBBER SHARES WEAKER.

Little of interest transpired in the Rubber Share market yesterday, and in the absence of business prices were inclined to dwindle. Price movements were not numerous, but, while a couple or so issues finished the day at slightly higher levels, the majority of alterations were in the downward direction. A dull tone ruled in the commodity market also. Spot and November and December were quoted at 1s. 8⅞d. per lb., while January to March sold 1s. 9d. April to June realised 1s. 9⅜d. per lb. In the Share market, Baru, Malacca and Membakut all lost 1s. 3d. Hong Kong Selangor were a weak spot, and here a decline of 5s. was recorded, the final quotation being no better than 65s. Sapong eased to 73s. 9d. c.d., or 1s. 3d. lower, and Seafield went off sharply to 48s. 9d., or 5s. below their overnight level. Yam Seng lost 1½d. to 6s. 1½d. Johore River, on the other hand, improved a trifle to 2s. 3d., or 1½d. firmer, while Rubber Trust gained a similar amount to 44s. c.d. Sekong hardened to 16s. 3d. c.d., or 7½d. better, and Straits Rubber at 25s. 7½d. were also 7½d. firmer. A number of others were quoted ex div., among them being Anglo-Java at 7s. 7½d., F.M.S. Plants at 71s. 10½d., Golden Hope at 45s., and United Sua Betong at 98s. 9d.

TEA SHARES FIRM.

Dealings continued on a small scale in the Tea share market yesterday, but despite the paucity of business a generally firm tone was still evident, and prices were again marked forward in several directions. Here and there, however, an easier tendency was manifest, and in some instances final levels were lower.

OILS—HEALTHY CONDITION.

Much more healthy conditions prevailed in the Oil Share market yesterday, the shake-out of the preceding day, as a result of profit-taking sales, having left the market in a sounder position. Chief interest centred on Apex Trin. Leaseholds, Lobitos, British Borneos and V.O.C. Holdings. Final prices were not in all cases the best of the day, but a majority of the movements recorded favoured holders. Shells, which kept around the overnight level of 4 11/16 for the greater part of the day—business in the shares being of fair proportions—hardened in the afternoon and closed with a gain of 1/16 at 4¾, the Bearer shares being up a like amount at 4 13/16. A moderate demand existed for Royal Dutch, which rose steadily, closing rather buyers at 31⅝, the result of the day's business being an advance of ⅜. Anglo-Americans, from 4 1/16, improved to 4⅛ bid, and left off with a gain of 1/16 at 4⅛.

Business in Anglo-Persians was again on a good scale, and from the opening price of 6 1/16 the shares rose to 6 3/16, while the final price of 6⅛ left them 1/16 up on the day. Mexican Eagles, which were quiet for the greater part of the day, met with a demand in the late dealings. The Ordinary and 8 p.c. Part. Prefs. improved 3d. to 20s. 6d. and 19s. 3d. respectively, and the 7 p.c. First Prefs. were steady at 16s. 7½d. x.d. In the Trinidad group there was a continuance of active dealings in Apex Trinidad and Trinidad Leaseholds. Following the setback of the preceding day, Apex opened slightly easier at 5 3/16, but renewed buying found the shares in short supply, with the result that the price advanced raipdly to 5 5/16. Towards the end, however, they became easier, although the final price of 5 5/16 left them 1/16 up on balance. Trinidad Leaseholds fluctuated between 4 11/16 and 4 13/16, closing at 4 13/16, the result of the day's business being a rise of 1/16.

A strong feature was provided among Venezuelans by V.O.C. Holdings, which changed hands freely at advancing prices. At the close they registered an improvement of 1/16, the Ord. finishing at 3 5/16 and the Prefs. at 3 5/16. The belief prevails that an early announcement may be made regarding an issue of capital to existing shareholders on favourable terms. Among Rumanians, Phoenix continued to receive the bulk of attention. Large buying orders were received for the shares, particularly in the afternoon, as a result of which they advanced steadily to 26s., at which a rise of 6d. was recorded.

BRIGHT SPOTS IN INDUSTRIALS.

Although irregularity again characterised the Industrial market yesterday, some outstanding bright spots were observable. Most of the business passing was in Coal, Steel, and Engineering issues on hopes of coal peace. Thornycrofts were prominent with an advance of 2s. to 12s. on the resumption of Ordinary dividends. Stewarts Def. rose 9d. to 29s. 3d., with moderate gains recorded in Beardmores at 5s. 9d., Bolckow Vaughans at 8s., Cammell Lairds at 9s. 3d., William Corys at 50s., Dorman Longs at 11s., Guest Keens at 38s. 6d., Palmers Shipbuilding at 5s 3d., and United Steel Prefs. at 10s. 7½d. Armstrongs had buyers at 5s. 6d. and United Steels Ord. at 5s. 9d.

Irregular movements were witnessed among Textiles. Good support was noticeable from the North for Fine Spinners, which put on 1s. to 43s. Sewing Cottons improved 6d. to 53s., but Bradford Dyers at 47s. 6d. and J. and P. Coats at 59s. 6d. were each a few pence lower. Calico Printers, Listers, and Linen Threads closed unaltered. Wardles weakened 1/16 to 3. Of the Artsilks, Courtaulds met with a moderate inquiry, and stiffened 1/16 to 5 1/16, while Nuera Ord. sagged to 31s. 9d. and the Defd. to 23s. 6d. Western Viscose were easier at 13s. 9d.; Snias remained steady around 31s. 3d.; Chas. Semon Ord. were lifted to 2s. 9d. bid.

A somewhat steadier tone was observable in the Electrical Equipment section. Johnson and Phillips were unchanged at 56s. 6d. x.d., and Siemens were 3d. harder at 28s. x.d. Buyers appeared for some of the Supply shares, noticeably County of London, which changed hands up to 3¼, and closed 1/16 higher on the day at 3 3/16.

Tobaccos again proved an uncertain market. Carreras gave way ⅛ to 16⅜, and United South lost 1/16 at 4⅛. On the other hand, R. and J. Hill improved 6d. to 43s. 6d., with Albert Bakers firm at 38s. 3d. ex div.; "Bats" and "Imps" closed unaltered. Booth Distilleries were a weak spot among Breweries, falling 1s. 3d. to 13s. In other directions prices were generally well maintained, with Ind Coopes 6d. harder at 67s., and Watney Defd. 2 up at 260½.

A demand sprang up for "Daily Mirrors" in the Newspaper group, and the shares changed hands up to 8, an advance of 1/16. "Pictorials" gained 1/16 at 4 5/16, but Associated Defd. declined ⅛ at 7½. There was little doing in Land shares, where the tone remained quietly steady, with Hudson's Bays and Sudans unchanged. Banks were also on the quiet side, the only quotable change being in National of India, which put on ½ to 47½. Telegraphs and Telephones issues scarcely moved, though Oriental Telephones rose ⅛ to 2⅛.

Of the Wireless group, Marconis stiffened to 15s. 9d. on the success of the "Beam" system, which is to be extended to South Africa shortly. Nitrates proved a poor market, declines being general. Shipping shares were uncertain. Canada Steamships gained 1 at 33, but Cunards eased 3d. to 18s. 3d. Insurance shares were idle and featureless. Traction issues moved within narrow limits; Shawinigan Power Capital Stock eased slightly to 272. The outstanding feature in the Motor section was Dennis Bros. Ord., which continued their advance and established another high record level at 5¼, which left them ¼ to the good on balance. Rolls Royce were inquired for around 35s. 3d. L.G.O.C. Income Debs. put on 1 to 87½. On the other hand, Thomas Tillings lost further ground at 54s. 6d.

The maintenance of the J. Lyons interim dividend at 1s. 8d. per share on the Ord. had little effect on values. J. Lyons closed unaltered, while Aerated Breads eased 3d. to 29s. 6d. The latter company announced a final dividend of 1s. 3d. per share, making 2s. for the year, as a year ago. Some of the Trust Stocks were in evidence, noticeably Trustees Corporation Ord., which rose 11 to 189½. United States Deb. Corporation Ord. gained 2 at 246½. In the Miscellaneous department, Dunlops met with a fair amount of attention, changing hands up to 28s. 9d., and closing 3d. higher on the day at 28s. 7½d. Chemical Combine issues were harder for choice, British Dyestuffs at 17s., Nobels Ord. at 35s. 9d., with the Deferred buyers at 17s. 9d. On the other hand, Brunners shed 3d. to 36s. Swedish Match issues maintained a very firm front, the "A" Shares at 14⅛ and the "B" Shares at 14⅛. International Telephones recovered to 48s., but Automatic Telephones were dull at 56s. Telephone Manufacturing came in for further attention at 8s. 10½d. Among recent issues, Perak Power Debs. gave way ½ to 5½ discount. Bogota Telephones were 3d. better at 32s. 6d., and J. Bolding Ord. hardened a like amount to 17s. 3d. Both classes of shares in Carricks, Caterers, were dealt in on the basis of 6d. to 1s. premium.

LATEST CLOSING AND STREET PRICES.

BRITISH FUNDS, ETC.

—	Closing.		Rise or fall.
Consols	54	55	
War Loan 3½ %	98½	99	+ ¼
do. 4½ %	93	94*	
do. 5 %	99⅝	99⅞*	
do. 4 % (Tax Free)	99¾	100¼	
Funding Loan	84½	85	
Victory Bonds	91¾	92¼	
3½ % Conversion Loan	74⅝	74⅞	
4½ % Conversion Loan	95	95½	
5½ Treasury Bonds	101¼	101¾	
Irish Land 2¾ %	56	58	
India 3 %	59	60	
do. 3½ %	69	70	
do. 5½ %	102	103	
do. 7 %	101	103	
Local Loans	62½	63	
Sudan 5½ %	105	107	

COLONIAL GOVERNMENT STOCKS.

Australian Com. 5 %	98	100*	
do. 6 %	101	103	
British Col. 4½ '41	91	93	
Canada 4 %	87	88	
Cape 3½ % Cons.	78	80	
Ceylon 6 %	107	109	+1
New South Wales 4½ '22-7	99	101	
do. 5½ % 1922-7	98	100*	
do. 5½ % 1930-40	102	104	
New Zealand 4 % '29	95	97	
Nigeria 6 %	111	113	
Queensland 4 % '40-50	77	79	
do. 6 % '30-40	101	103	
South Africa 4 % Cons.	84	86	
do. 6 %	101	103	
South Australian 4 % '40-60	79	81	
do. 6½ %	102	104	
Victoria 4 % '40-60	79	81	
do. 6¼ % 1923-5	100	102	
Western Australia 5 % '35-45	95	97*	
do. 6 % 1930-40	101	103	

BANKS.

Anglo South American	7⅞	7½*	
Australasia	13½	14	
Bank of England	243	248	
Bank of New South Wales	43¼	44¼	
do. New Zealand	2⅞	3⅛	
Barclay's A	7 15/16	8	
British Overseas	5¾	6	
Canadian of Commerce	48	48	
Chartered of India	19⅞	20⅝	
Hong Kong	117	120	
Lloyds	62/0	63/0	
Midland	8⅝	8⅞	
National Discount Bank	8⅝	8⅝	
National Prov (£4)	12 15/16	13 1/16	
Royal of Canada	51	53*	
Standard of South Africa	13½	14	
Union of Australia	14⅛	15¼	
Westminster Bank	18 11/16	18 15/16	

FOREIGN BONDS.

M.U.—Nov. 8.				
100	Argentine, 1886	99	101	
80	Do. 4 p.c. Rescissions	79	81	
91½	Do. 5 p.c., 1909	93	95	
—	Belgian 7 p.c. Loan	6⅛	6 15/16pm	+3/32
52	Brazil 4 p.c., 1889	52	54	+1
90½	Do. Funding, 1908	89	91	
78½	Do. 5 p.c., 1914	77	79*	
85	Chinese 5 p.c., 1896	85	87	
67¾	Do. 4½ p.c., 1898	67	69	
50	Do. 5 p.c., 1912	50	52	+1
104	Czecho-Slovakia Bonds	103	105	
81½	Egyptian Unified	80¾	81¼	− ¼
13¼	French Loan	13	14	
10¼	Do. 4 p.c.	9½	10½	
101¾	German 7 p.c.	102	104*	
92	Greek Loan	91½	92½*	
17	Italian Rentes	16	18	
92½	Japan 4 p.c., 1905	92	94	
92½	Do. 6 p.c., 1924	92	93	
47	Mexican 5 p.c., '99	47	49	
49	Do. 6 p.c. 10-Y. Treas.	49	50	
7¼	Peruvian Corporation	7½	8	
48½	Do. Pref.	50½	51½	
98¼	Do. Deb.	98	100	+1
33¼	Portuguese 3 p.c.	35	37	
—	Spanish 4 p.c.	70	75	
22	Turkish Unified	20¾	21¼	− ¼
65¼	Uruguay 3½ p.c.	64½	65½	

BRITISH RAILS.

89½	Great Western	89	90	
—	Do. Cons. Pref.	93	95	
74	Ldn., Mid. & Scot. Ord.	73½	74½	+ ½
—	Do. 4 p.c. Pref.	71	73	
—	Do. 5 p.c. Red. Pref.	95	98	
—	Do. 4 p.c. Pref., 1923	69	71	
50¼	Ldn. North-East. 5 p.c. Pref. Ord.	50	51	
18½	Do. Def. Ord.	18¼	18¾	
—	Do. 4 p.c. 1st Pref.	64	66	
—	Do. 4 p.c. 2nd Pref.	57	60	
60	Metropolitan	60	61	+1
—	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	89	92	
54	Do. District	58	59	+2
77¾	Southern Pref. Ord.	77½	78½	
45¾	Do. Def. Ord.	45	46	
—	Underground Elec. (£1)	12/4½	12/10½	
101½	Do. Income Bonds	100	102	
105	Do. 6 p.c. Debs.	101	103	

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS.

80½	Antofagasta	80	82*	
—	Argentine G.W. Ord.	81½	83½*	
—	Bahia Blanca	80	82	
—	Brazil Railway Common	¼	1¼	
98¼	Buenos Ayres Gt. Sthn.	97	99¼*	
85	Buenos Ayres and Pacific	84	86*	
85	Buenos Ayres and W.	82½	84½	
169	Canadian Pacific	168	170	−1
72½	Central Argentine	70½	72½	− ½
73	Central Uruguay	72½	74½	
32½	Cordoba Central	32½	34½	+ ½
82½	Do. 1st Pref.	81½	83½	
52½	Do. 2nd Pref.	52	54	
66	Entre Rios	66	68*	
—	Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	89	91*	
—	Grand Trunk Pac. Deb.	56	58	
—	Grand Trunk 4 p.c. Guar.	77	80	
—	Do. 4 p.c. Perp. Deb.	77	79	
41½	Leopoldina	40½	42½	
—	Mexican Rails	7¾	8¼	
21½	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	21	23	
11½	Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	11	13	
182	San Paulo Ord.	179	183	
69	United Havana	65½	67½*	

AMERICAN RAILS.

—	Atchison	159	161	−2
—	Baltimore	106	108	−1
—	Chesapeake	169	171	−1
—	Chicago, Milwaukee	8½	9½	
40	Erie	39	41	
—	Do. 1st Pref.	47	49	
—	New York, Ontario	25	27	
122½	Southern Common	121	123	−1
—	Do. Pref.	95	98	
—	Southern Pacific	110	112	−1
168½	Union Pacific	167	169	−1

BREWERIES AND DISTILLERIES.

19/3	Allsopp £1 Shares	⅞	1	
96	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	95	98	
—	Bass, Ratcliff 5 p.c. Pref.	83	86	
48/0	Do. Ord.	[illegible]	[illegible]	
53/6	Distillers Ord.	2 11/16	2 13/16	
602½	Guinness	595	615	
—	Do. Pref.	112	117	
21/3	Peter Walker Ord.	21/0	22/0	
50/0	South African Breweries	2 3/16	2 5/16	
21/0	Walker (John) Pref.	20/6	21/6	
257	Watney, Combe Def.	258	263	+2

ELECTRIC SUPPLY.

—	Bournemouth and Poole	3	3¼	
46/0	Charing Cross	2¼	2⅜	
—	Chelsea Ord.	1⅞	2⅛	
48/0	City of London	47/0	49/0	+0/6
3⅛	County of London	3⅛	3¼	+ 1/16
—	Lancashire	23/0	25/0	
35/6	London Electric	34/6	36/6	
40/3	Metropolitan	39/0	41/0	
21/7½	Newcastle	1 1/16	1 3/16	
18¼	St. James's (5)	18¼	19¼	
42/6	South London	2	2¼	
—	Westminster	2	2¼	
—	Whitehall Electric Pref.	19/10½	20/4½	

FOODSTUFFS AND STORES.

30/0	Aerated Bread	29/0	30/0	−0/3
2	Bovril Def.	1 31/32	2 1/32	
2/9	Crosse and Blackwell	2/3	3/3	
10/9	Lipton	10/0	11/0	
30/0	Lovell and Christmas	1 7/16	1 9/16	
3⅞	Lyons (J.)	3⅜	4	
—	Mackintosh (J.) Pref.	22/9	23/9	
5/0	Maypole Def.	5/0	5/6	
—	Smithfield Arg. Meat	[illegible]	½	
2 1/16	Spratt's Patent	2	2⅛	
—	Union Cold Storage Pref.	18/9	19/9	
28/0	Van Den Berghs	1 1/16	1⅛	
—	Do. Pref.	4¾	5¼	

IRON AND STEEL.

5/1½	Armstrong (W. G.)	5/3	5/9	+0/1½
9/0	Cammell Laird	8/9	9/0	+0/3
10/3	Dorman Long	10/6	11/6	+0/6
13/9	John Brown	14/0	15/0	
8/9	Do. (15/- paid)	8/6	9/6	
14/6	Pease and Partners	14/6	15/6	
5/1⅜	South Durham Steel	2½	2⅝	
28/3	Siemens	27/6	28/6*	
5/1½	United Steel	5/6	6/0	+0/3
9/0	Vickers Ord.	8/9	9/3	+0/1½

LAND AND INVESTMENT.

—	Aboukir Land	1 5/16	1 7/16	
35/0	Argentine Land Invest.	1 11/16	1 13/16	
25/0	Do. Southern Land	1 3/16	1 5/16	
8/3	B.N.B. Land	8/0	9/0	
24/0	Forestal Land	24/0	24/6	
5⅝	Hudson's Bay Ord.	5½	5⅝	
5/6	Pekin Syndicate	5/3	5/9	
23/6	Rio Negro Lands	1 1/16	1 3/16	
4 15/16	Sudan Plantations	4 15/16	5 1/16	

NEWSPAPERS.

7 5/16	Assd. Newspapers Def.	7 7/16	7 9/16	
52/6	Allied News Ord.	52/0	53/0	
—	Amalgamated Press	3	3⅛	
7⅝	Daily Mail Trst. (7/6 pd.)	63/4½	64/4½	
4⅛	Daily Mirror Ord.	7 15/16	8 1/16	+ 1/16
—	Sunday Pictorial Ord.	4¼	4 5/16	+ 1/16

NITRATES.

8½	Alianza	7	8	− ½
15/0	Lagunas Nitrate	14/0	16/0	−1/0
3 5/16	Lautaro Nitrate	3⅛	3⅜	− ⅛
1⅝	Liverpool Nitrate	1⅜	1½	− ⅛
2½	London Nitrate	2⅜	2⅝	
15/0	Rosario Nitrate	15/0	17/0	
1⅜	Santiago Nitrate	1⅜	1½	
9/0	Tarapaca Nitrate	8/6	9/6	

OILS.

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4 1/32	Anglo-American	4⅛	4 5/32	+ 1/32
1 15/16	Anglo-Ecuadorian	1 27/32	1 29/32	− 1/32
1¼	Anglo-Egyptian "B"	1¼	1 5/16	+ 1/16
6 3/32	Anglo-Persian Ord.	6 1/32	6 3/32	+ 1/16
26/4½	Do. 8 p.c. 1st Pref.	26/4½	26/10½	
27/6	Do. 9 p.c. 2nd Pref.	27/7½	28/1½	
96½	Do. 8 p.c. Deb.	96	97	
5 1/16	Apex Trinidad	5⅛	5 3/16	+ 3/32
13/6	Attock	16/3	16/9	
18/9	Brit. Borneo Pet. (10/-)	19/6	20/0	+1/9
8/1½	British Burmah (8/-)	7/6	8/0	
4/3	British Controlled	4/7½	4/10½	+0/1½
8/0	Do. Pref.	8/1½	8/4½	+0/3
5 29/32	Burmah	6 1/32	6 3/32	
26/10½	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	28/0	28/6*	
1 7/16	Caltex	1⅝	1 11/16	
101¼	Eagle Transport Pref.	101¼	103¼	
102¼	Do. 7 p.c. Notes.	102¼	103¼	+ ¼
12/9	Do. Bearer	12/3	12/9	+ ¼
4⅝	Kern River (10/-)	4⅝	4 11/16	−0/6
8 15/32	Lago (no par value)	8 15/32	8 17/32	+ 1/32
20/3	Lobitos	20/3	20/9	+ 5/32
19/0	Mexican Eagle	19/0	19/6	+0/3
17/1½	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	16/4½	16/10½*	+0/3
4/3	Do. 7 p.c. 1st Pref.	3/6	4/0	
4/3	North Caucasian (10/-)	4/1½	4/7½	
1/4½	Omnium	1/6	1/9	
25/9	Oropucho (4/- sh. f.p.)	25/9	26/3	+0/6
30⅝	Phoenix	31⅛	31⅝	+ ⅜
4 7/16	Royal Dutch	4 19/32	4 21/32	+ 1/32
9 1/16	Shell Transport	9⅝	10⅛	
24/10½	Do. 5 p.c. Pref. (£10)	24/9	25/3	
1/3	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	1/1½	1/4½	
15/6	Spies (2/-)	15/1½	15/7½	−0/1½
8/6	Steaua Romana	8 4½	8 10½	
11/6	Tankers Pref.	11/3	12/3	
4¼	Trinidad Central	4 7/32	4 9/32	+ 1/16
7/0	Trinidad Leasehold	7/6	7/9	+0/4½
4/3	United Brit. Trinidad	3/9	4/3	
3 31/32	Ural Caspian	3¼	3 5/16	+ 3/16
2 27/32	V.O.C. Holdings	3⅛	3 3/16	+ 3/16
—	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	[illegible]	[illegible]	

RUBBERS.

3/6	Amal. Rubber Est.	3/4½	
54/6	Anglo-Dutch	34/0	
8/0	Anglo-Java	7/7½*	
1 13/16	Anglo-Malay	35/7½*	
8/4½	Bertam Cons.	6/3	
6/3	Bukit Mertajam	8/3	−0/0¾
3/3	Bukit Sembawang	2/3	−0/1½
1 13/16	Buntar	5/0*	
15/9	Damansara	23/0	
2⅛	Grand Central	46/10½	
21 5/16	Highlands	72/6*	
29/9	Java Para	56/3	
6/6	Jugra Land	29/0*	
3 3/16	Kamuning	6/4½	−0/1½
10/6	Kapar Para	65/0*	
4¼	Kepong	10/0	−0/1½
3 11/16	Kuala Lumpur	32/1½	
35/16	Kuala Muda	24/1½*	
4 7/16	Labu	4/4½	
29/3	Laras	54/3	−0/0¾
7/0	Linggi	4/10½	
3/6	London Asiatic	7/2½	−1/3
43/6	Malacca	42/6	−0/6
5/9	Malayalam	3/7½	
2 1/16	Merlimau	40/0	
4/0	Moopy Valley	4/0	
44/6	Rubber Est. of Krian	44/0	
2 5/16	Rubber Trust	44/0	+0/1½
28/3	Seafield (New)	48/9	−5/0
3 9/16	Sendayan	53/1½	
1 11/32	Sialang	65/0	
7/3	Straits Rubber	25/7½	+0/7½
2	Sumatra Para	7/0	
3 15/16	Tali Ayer	40/0	
2 5/16	Tandjong	75/0	−0/7½
7/1½	Tandjong Malim	38/9*	
1	United Serdang	6/10½	
22/9	United Sua Betong	98/9*	
—	Vallambrosa	22/7½	−0/1½

Abaco	70/0*	
Allagar	4/6	
Allied Sum	23 3	−0/1½
Ampat	8/3	−0/3
Anglo-Sum	65/0	
Asahan	22/6	−0/9
Bah Lias	48/9*	
Baru(Java)	66/3	−1/3
Batang	3 1½*	
Batu Tiga	57/6	
Bernam Pr'k	48 9*	
B.N.B.R. T'st	17/6	
Broome Sel.	30/0	
Bukit Cloh	8/10½*	
Bukit Kal'ns	65 0	
Bukit Rajah	40/0	
Castlefield	11 9	
Ceyln Timb's	7/1½	
Chersonese	3 9	
Cheviot	6 0	
Cicely	9 3	
Dennistown	2/10½	
Djember	60/0*	
East Asiatic	4/1½	−0/1½
Eastern Sum	4 0¾	
Eastern Tst.	40 0	
F.M.S. Plant.	71/10*	
Gadjah	9/6	
Gen. Ceylon	55/3	−0/6
Glenbervie	56 3	
Glenshiel	25 0	
Golconda	51/3*	
Golden Hope	45/0*	
Hong'k'ng S'e	65/0	−5/0
Inanlinde	37/7½*	
Java Amal.	51/3	
Johore River	2/3	+0/1½
Kali Java	3 9*	
Kasintoe	40 0	
Kepitigalla	3/3¾	
Kombok	4/8¼*	
Kuala Sel	7 9	
Kwaloe	3 5¼	
Langkat Sum	37/6	

Ledbury	62/6*	
Lendu	31/3	
Loengoer	2/4½*	
Manch'r N B	42/6*	
Membakut	23/7½	−1/3
Mendaris	38/9*	
N. Hayoep	1/10½*	
N. Hum'ock	30/7½	
Pahl P's(1/6p)	2/7½	
P.P.K(C'y'n)	33/1½	
Pataling	36/3*	
Pegoh	27/6*	
Pilmoor	53/1½	
Port Dickson	4/10½	−0/1½
Ratanui	5 8¼	
Rim Malacca	28/9	
Rub. E. Joh'e	31/10½	−1/3
Sapong	[illegible]	
Sapumalk'de	52 6	
Sedenak	16 3	
Sekong	6/9	+0/7½
Selangor	81 3	
Sembilan	26 9	−0 3
Sepang Sel.	21/3*	
Seramban	[illegible]	
Serdang C'tl	3/8¼	
Sing United	[illegible]	
Singap'e Par	43 9	
Soengei Ay'r	53/0	−1/3
Sumatra Con	[illegible]	
Sungei B'ys	32/6*	
Sungei Chob	7/1½*	
Sungei K'par	63 9	
Sungei Kr. P	[illegible]	
Taiping	2/9	−0/1½
Tamiang	32/3	
Tebrau	60/10½	
Telogoredjo	65/0	
Tempeh	3/1½	
Timbang De'	2/0	
Toerangie	37 6*	−1/3
Un. Temiang	29/0	
Waverley	3 3	
Yam Seng	6/1½	−0/1½

SHIPPING.

16/0	Cairn Line	17/0	18/0	
12/9	Cargo Fleet	11/3	12/3	
—	Court Line	29/0	30/0*	
—	Cunard Ord.	17/9	18/9	−0/3
18/3	Elder-Dempster 6 p.c. Pf.	17/6	18/6	
—	Furness, Withy	36/0	37/0	
—	P. and O. Def.	270	280	
—	Royal Mail Ord.	78	80	

TEAS.

Amal. Estates	41¾		Galaha Ceylon	47/0	+0/9
Assam Co.	45/6	+0/3	Imperial	43/6	+1/0
Assam Dooars	46½		Jetinga Valley	51/3	
Assam Front'r	28/10½	−0/4½	Jhanzie	85/0	
Bog'want'lawa	70/0		Jokai	87/6	+0/3
Borelli	88/0		Jorehaut	89/0*	+/10½
Brahmapootra	35		Lanka	56/0*	
Brit. Indian	63/0		Lebong	71/10½	+0/7½
Budla Beta	128/0		Kanan Devan	38½	
Ceylon Plant.	61 15/16*		Lungla	29/6	
Ceylon Prop.	76/3		Makum	33/6	
Chargola	27/0		Moabund	36/6	
Chubwa	29/0	+0/6	Nedeem	6*	
Chulsa	27/6		New Dimbula	59/9	
Con. Tea & L.	32		Nuwara Eliya	63/9	
Darjeeling Co.	46/6	+1/0	Ouvah	31/3	
Ditto Consol.	51/10½	+2/6	Peacock & Nil	4 2¼	
Doondi	26/0	+0/3	Pabbojan	7½	
Dima	88½		Pundaloya	85/0	
Dimbula Val.	70/7½		Rosehaugh Cey	46/3	
Donars	78/0		Scottish Assam	63/9	
Doom Dooma	98/3		Scot. T. & La.	40/7½	
E. Assam	75/7½	+1/3	Singlo	1/6	
East Produce	37/3	−0/4½	Travancore	30/0	
Empire	56/3	−10/-	Up. Assam	32/7½	

TELEGRAPHS.

24¾	Anglo-American Def.	24½	25	
15/9	Marconi Wireless Ord.	15/6	16/0	+0/3
1⅛	Do. Pref.	1⅛	1¼	
—	Do. Debs.	96½	97½	
22/0	Do. Marine	21/6	22/6*	
4/0	Do. Canada	3/9	4/3	
12	Oriental Telephone	2⅜	2⅝	
10	Radio Corporation	11 15/16	12 7/16	+ ¼
—	do. Pref. ($50)	9 15/16	10 5/16	− 1/32

TEXTILES AND STORES.

5/6	Amalgamated Cotton	5/3	5/9	
42/0	Bleachers	42/6	43/6	
48/0	Bradford Dyers	47/0	48/0	−0/3
4/3	British Celanese Ord.	4/9	5/3	
17/3	British Dyestuffs	16/9	17/3	+0/3
29/9	Calico Printers	29/3	30/3	
59/3	Coats	59/0	60/0	−0/6
5⅛	Courtaulds	5 3/16	5¼	+ 1/16
52/0	English Sewing Cotton	52/6	53/6	+0/6
41/0	Fine Spinners	42/6	43/6	+1/0
46/0	Grouts	2 5/16	2 7/16	
56/0	Harrods	55/6	56/6	+0/3
21/6	Hollins (Wm.)	1	1⅛	
—	Linen Thread Ord.	30/0	31/0	
23/0	Lister Ord.	22/3	23/3	
33/0	Nuera	31/3	32/6	−0/1½
25/3	Do. Def.	23/0	24/0	−2/0
—	Selfridge 6 p.c. Pref.	1 5/32	1 9/32	

MISCELLANEOUS INDUSTRIALS.

27/6	African and East. Trade	28/0	29/0	+0/6
18/9	Amal. Dental Pref. Ord.	18/3	19/3	
2 15/16	Anglo-Argentine 1st Pref	2⅞	3⅛	
16/7½	Associated Cement	16/9	17/3	+0/3
17/0	Do. Pref.	16/10½	17/4½	
1¼	Borax Con. Def.	1 7/16	1 9/16	
112	Brazilian Traction	109½	111½	
33/0	British Portland Cement	34/3	34/9	
15/0	B.S.A.	15/0	16/3	
23/6	British Oil and Cake	25/3	26/3	
114	Brit. Col. Elec. Rail. Pf.	113½	116½	
—	Do. 4½ p.c. Debs.	86	89	
95/6	Brit.-Amer. Tobacco	95/6	96/0	
35/6	Brunner Mond	35/6	36/6	
47/6	Bryant and May	47/0	48/0	−0/3
16½	Carreras	16½	16¾	
27/9	Dunlop Rubber	28/6	28/9	
—	Do. 6 p.c. Deb.	103½	105½	
23/9	Do. "C" Prefs.	1⅛	1¼*	
—	English Electric	13/3	14/3	−0/3
—	Finlay (James)	78/9	79/9	
28/9	General Electric Ord.	28/6	29/6	
—	Do. Deb.	103	106	−1
—	Gramophone Ord.	3⅛	3¼	
117/0	Imperial Tobacco Ord.	116/6	117/3	
11/0	Jute Indus. Pref.	11/3	12/3	
19/3	Lever 7 p.c. Pref.	19/0	19/6	
—	Lever 8 p.c. Debs.	94	96	
17	London Irish Trust (£5)	½	¼ dis	
—	Mexican Trams	16½	18½	
65½	Do. Bonds	65	68	
—	Do. L. and P. Bonds	65	68	
33/3	Nobel Ord.	33/3	36/3	+0/3
22/9	Do. Pref.	22/6	23/6	
17/6	Do. Def.	17/6	18/0	+0/3
35/5	Parent Trust Def.	1⅝	1⅞	
20/0	Do. Ord.	1	1⅛*	
29/6	Platt Bros. Ord.	29/3	30/3	
—	Prov. Cin. 7½ p.c. Pf. Ord.	⅝	¾	
35/0	Rolls Royce	34/9	35/9	+0/3
28/6	Sulz Union	1⅜	1½	
101½	San Paulo Tram Deb.	100	105	
275	Shawinigan Water Com.	269	275	−1
14⅜	Swedish Match "B"	14 9/16	14 11/16	+ 1/16
38/0	Schweppes Def.	1⅞	2	
—	Taylor's Service	29/3	30/3	
—	Tilling Ord.	54/0	55/0	−0/6
—	Do. 5½ p.c. Cum. Pref	4½	4¾	
—	United Alkali	1 9/16	1 13/16	
32/3	Wallpaper Def.	32/0	32/6	

*Ex div. †Ex rights. ‡Cum. div. ‖Ex bonus.

LONDON MINING MARKET.

BUSINESS ON A MODEST SCALE.

The Mining departments were by no means conspicuous yesterday, and Kaffirs presented a somewhat rugged appearance. The members of the Anglo-American group maintained the improvements secured on the preceding day, and Far Easterns generally were quite firm. Modderfontein were in increased request. Anglo French fell back on profit-taking, but African and European were harder. The Cape was no longer a supporter of Sub Nigel, but inquiries were forthcoming from that centre for one or two of the Platinum issues. There was very little business passing in the Rhodesian department, and Chartered, Tanks, Zams, Cam and Motor and Sherwood Starr were all content to maintain former levels. Congo Border marked a recovery, and Northern Rhodesia were bid for, but the other Northern issues were very quiet. In the early hours there was a disposition to bang De Beers Def., and the price relapsed rather sharply, but later on a little investment demand was noticed and a recovery occurred, though the final price was still below that ruling on Wednesday. Cons. Diamonds and Options were on offer and fell away, but at the lower level a certain amount of support was forthcoming. The price of tin declined £2 7s. 6d. to £309 7s. 6d. per ton, but this movement had no more effect on the share market than did the previous day's advance in the metal price. Southern Perak were harder, and Tavoy moved up despite adverse rumours, while most of the other usually active counters kept very firm. Rio Tinto, in the copper list, improved, and a demand for Huronian Belt enlivened the Canadian department. Elsewhere, Mexicans were in much better fettle. The low price to which San Francisco had fallen brought in buyers, and Santa Gertrudis, El Oro, Camp Bird and National Mining were all better. Closing prices:—

SOUTH AFRICAN.

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1 15/16	Anglo-Amer. Corp	1 15/16 2	
23/6	Anglo-French	25/6 26 0	−0/3
4	Brakpan	4 1/16-4⅛	
16⅞	Cent. Min'g (£8	16⅝-17⅛	+ ⅛
4/0	Central W'st (5/)	3/9 4/3	
1 1/16	City Deep	1 1/16-1 3/16	
1⅛	Con. Goldfields	1⅛-1 3/16	− 1/16
14/6	Cons. Main Reef	13/9-14/3	−0/3
1¼	Con. M. Sel. (10/)	24 0 24/6	
3 5/16	Crown Mines (10/)	3¼ 3⅜	
¾	Durban Deep	14 0 15/0	
12 9	E. Rand Prop.	12/7½ /10½	− /1½
4	Geduld	4⅛ 4¼	
2 5/16	Gen. Mining	2 5/16 2⅜	
11/0	G. M. Investment	10/9-11/3	
8⅜	Gover'ment Mines	8⅛ 8¼	− 1/16
2/3	Hendles Plat. (5/)	2 3 2/9	
3/7½	Hendersons (5/)	4/1½-4/4½	+0/3
50/0	Johan'burg I'vs.	50/0 51 0	
4 0	Kleinfontein	3/9-4/3	
12/6	Knight's	12/0 13 0	
20/0	Langlaagte Est.	19/0-20/3	
¼	Lydenburg Plat.	7/6 8/6	
2	Meyer & Charlton	1 15/16-2 1/16	
4⅛	M'derfontein (10/)	4⅛-5	+ 1/16
21/0	Modder B (5/)	20/9 21/3	−0/3
1⅝	Modder Deep (5/)	1 11/16-1⅞	− 1/16
15/6	Modder East	15/0-16/0	
2 1/16	New State Areas	2 1/16 2⅛	
7/3	Nigel	6/6-7 6	
7/3	Nourse Mines	6 9 7/3	
3 5/16	Rand Mines (5/)	3 5/16 3⅜	
14/6	Randfontein	14/6 15/0	
1 7/16	Robinson Dp. B.	1 7/16 2 1/16	
1	Rob'son D A (1/)	1 1/16-1⅛	
7/6	Rose Deep	7/6 8 0	+0/3
1 1/16	S.A. Gold Trust	20/3-21/3	
18 9	S.A. Towns (10/)	18/9-19/3	+0/3
3 5/16	Springs Mines	3¼-3⅜	
22/3	Sth. W. Africa	21/6-22/6	
2 13/16	Sub Nigel	2 13/16-3 1/16	− 1/16
3⅛	Trans. and Del. B.	3 3/16-3¼	
2⅛	Trans. Con. L (10/)	2 3/16-2 5/16	
16/10½	Trans. Dovel	16/9-17/0	+0/3
3⅜	Union Corp (12/6)	3¼-3⅜	
1⅝	Van Ryn	24 0-25/0	+0/6
2 5/16	Van Ryn Deep	2 5/16-2 7/16	
42/6	Vereeniging	44/6-45/6	−1/3
5/10½	Village Deep	5/6 6/0	
16/0	West Rand Con.	16/9-17/3	
29/0	West Springs	29/0 29/6	
1⅛	Wit'erzrand Deep	1 1/16 1 3/16	− 1/16

RUSSIAN.

7/6	Lena Gold	7/4½-7 7½	
4 0	Russo-Asiat. Cns.	4/0 4/3	
4/6	Russian Mining	4/0-5 0	
¼	Spassky	7/6-8/6	

RHODESIAN.

M.U. Nov. 8.			
10/0	Bechuanaland Ex.	9/9-10/3	
8/0	Beira Town Sites	8/6-9/6	
7/3	Bwana M'Kubwa	6/10½-7 1½	− /1½
2 3/16	Cam and Motor	2⅝-2¾	
27/9	Chart'd B.S.A.	28 4½-7½	
6/0	Falcon	5/10½-6/1½	− /1½
18/0	Gaika Gold	16/6-17/6*	
16 9	Globe & Phoenix (5/)	17 9-18 3	+1/0
10/10½	Gold F. Rho. (10/)	10/9-11/3	
¾	Lonely Reef	⅝-⅞	
1⅛	Rezende	1 1/16-1 3/16	
5/4½	R. Broken Hill (5/)	5/3 5 6	
4½	R. Congo Border	4½-4¾	+ ¼
12/0	Selukwe (2/6)	11/9-12/3	
1⅝	Shamva Mines	1⅝-1¾	
1	Sherwood Starr (5/)	1-1⅛	
7⅛	S. Rhd. Base Mtls.	6⅞-6⅞	+ ⅛
2⅜	Tanganyika	2¼ 2⅜	
2¼	Vic. Falls Ord	2¼-2⅜	
32/6	do. Pref.	33 3 33/9	
26/6	Wankie Col. (10/)	26/0-27/0	
7/10½	Willoughby	7/6 8/0	
2	Zambesia Expl	2 1/16 2 3/16	

DIAMOND.

22/0	Angola Diamond	21/9-22/9	
24/6	Con. D. S. W. A	23 9 24/3	−0/3
18⅝	De Beers Def	18⅛-18⅜	− 1/16
13⅞	do. Pref.	13¾-14	
80/0	Jagersfontein	3 15/16-4 1/16	
⅛	N. Val. River	[illegible]	
7⅜	Premier Pf. (5/)	7⅛-7⅜*	
10/0	West African	12/3 20/3	

AUSTRALIAN.

9/9	Amal. Zinc	9.3-10 3	−0/3
—	Associated (4/)	1/1½-1/4½	
27/6	Broken Hill Prop.	26/6-27/6	+ /4½
3⅜	B. Hill Sth. (New)	3 5/16-3 7/16	
1⅛	Electro Zinc Pref.	1 1/16-1 3/16	
6⅜	North Broken Hill	6¼-6⅜	
20/9	Sulphide Ord.	20/6-21/6	
12/9	South Kalgurli	12/3-13/3	
2⅛	Zinc Ord. (10/)	2 1/16-3	
4⅛	do. Pref.	4⅛-4⅜	

COPPER.

11/3	Arizona (5/)	⅝-1⅛	
2/0	Mount Elliott (£5)	1 1/16-1 3/16	
26/6	Mount Lyell	26/6-27/6	
8/1½	Mount Morgan	7/6 8/6	
1⅛	Namaqua	1⅛-1⅜	
40⅞	Rio Tinto (£5)	41⅛-41⅜	+ ⅜
4/0	S. American (2/)	3/9 4/3	

TIN.

M.U. Nov. 8.			
15/0	Anglo-Con. (10/)	14/9-15/3	
3⅞	Aramayo Mines	3 15/16 3 1/16*	
22/6	Bauchi Ord. (10/)	22 3-22 9	
32/9	do. Pref (10/)	32 3-32/9	
11 0	Bisichi	10 6-11 0	
20/0	Eastern Trust	19/6-20 6	
2⅛	Gopeng	2⅛-2¼	
32/9	Ipoh	32/0 33/0	−0/6
24/9	Kaduna Synd (5/)	23/9-24 9	
4⅜	Kamunting	4⅜-4⅝*	− ⅛
5/1½	Keffi Cons (5/)	5/1½-/4½	+ /1½
3⅝	Kramat Pulai	3 9/16-3 11/16	
32 0	Malayan T.D	32/0 33/0	
17/3	Mongu	17/9-18/3	
1⅛	Naraguta	1⅛-1¼	
15/6	Pahang (5/)	15/3-15/9	−0/3
1⅛	Rambutan	1⅛-1¼	
8/1½	Rayfield (10/)	8/0-8/3	
23/9	do. 10 p.c. P. Pf.	23/0 24/0	
3⅜	Renong	3⅜-3½	
16/4½	Ropp (4/ Shs)	15/9 16 3	
29/0	Siamese	28/6 29/6	
4/4½	South Bukeru 5/	4/0-4 6	
5¾	Tavoy	5¾-5⅞	+ ⅛
25/3	Tingha Tin	25/0-26/0	−0/3
10/9	Tin Props. (2/)	10/9-11/9	
29/3	Tin Selectn. Trst	30 6 31/6	
—	Tronoh (5/)	21/9-22/3	

WEST AFRICAN.

13 9	Ashanti Gold (4/)	13/9-14/3	
11/10½	Fanti Cons. (8/)	11/6-12/0	
20/3	Gold Coast Amal.	19/9-20/9	−0/6

MISCELLANEOUS.

4/9	Barrier Trust	4/3-4 9*	
14/6	Burma Corp.	14/4½-/7½	
10/0	Champion Reef	9/6-10 0	−0/3
1⅜	Chosen Synd "A"	1⅜-1½	
4/3	Colombian Props.	⅜-⅝	
2 5/16	Huronian Belt	2 5/16-2 7/16	+ 1/16
6/3	Keeley Silver	6/3 6/6	
8/3	Kirkland Lake	7/9-8/3	
1⅛	Mexico Mines	1 1/16-1⅛	
4⅛	Minerals Separ't'n	4⅛-4⅜	
11/3	Min. Crp. of Can.	11/0 11/6	
14/6	Mysore (10/)	14/6 15/6	
5/9	Nat. Min. (8/)	5/6 6 0	+0/3
7/6	Nundydroog	7/0-8/0	
—	Nus River Gold	¼-⅜	
13/3	Ooregum	13/0-14 0	
9/3	St. John Del Rey.	8/3 9 3	
32/9	San Francisco (10/)	32/0 32/6	+0/6
13 6	Santa Gertrudis	14/6-15/0	+0/6
7/0	Vipond	6/6 6/9	
18/6	Waihi Gold	1⅛-1 3/16*	−0/3

*Ex Dividend. †Ex Rights.

DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS.

AERATED BREAD CO., LTD.—Final dividend of 1/3 per share, less tax, on the Ordinary, for the year ended October 2, 1926. An interim dividend of 9d. per share was paid on the Ordinary on June 1 last, so that the total for the year is 2/- per share, the same as for the two previous periods.

ADELAIDE ELECTRIC SUPPLY CO.—Final dividend on Ord. of 6 per cent. actual, making 12 per cent. for the year ended August 31, 1926, free of British tax in the case of shares registered on the London Register.

ANNANDALE AND SON.—Final dividend on Ord. Shares at 9 per cent. actual, less tax, making 15 per cent.

BEGOH CONSOLIDATED RUBBER.—Final dividend of 10 per cent., less tax, making a total of 15 per cent. for the year.

BANK OF BRITISH WEST AFRICA.—Interim dividend at rate of 4 per cent. per annum, less tax. (Same.)

BAMGAON TEA CO.—Interim Ord. dividend of 10 per cent., less tax.

BALIJAN TEA CO.—Interim dividend of 5 per cent actual on account of season 1926.

BALDWINS, LTD.—A net credit balance of £11,168 as a result of the year's working to 30th June last. For the previous year there was a net debit of £89,422 on the year's trading, and £550,000 had to be written off investments. Trading profits for last year amounted to £255,235, against £213,601, and the credit balance brought in to £237,195 compared with £526,618 which came into the 1924-25 accounts. As announced last July, no dividends are being paid on either the 5½ per cent. or the 5 per cent. "B" Cumulative Preference Shares. The former are one year and the latter eighteen months in arrears. The final dividend on the 5½ per cent. Preference for the half-year to June, 1925, was paid on 22nd December last. After meeting Debenture charges, and allowing £19,562—against £32,926—for expenditure on works, there remains £241,489 to go forward, compared with £237,195 brought in. The Ordinary Shares have received no dividend since the 5 per cent. paid for 1920-21.

BOMBAY, BARODA AND CENTRAL INDIA RAILWAY.—The directors have authorised payment in January next, in addition to the half-year's guaranteed interest of £1 10/- per cent., an interim dividend of £1 10/- per cent. in respect of profits for financial year 1926-27. (Same as last year.)

COMMERCIAL BANK OF SCOTLAND.—Directors recommend payment of dividends for second half of year ended October 31 last at 16 per cent. per annum on "A" shares and 10 per cent. per annum on "B" shares, both less tax.

CONSOLIDATED GOLD FIELDS OF SOUTH AFRICA, LTD.—Dividend on Ordinary Shares, 12½ per cent., less tax. Last year the dividend was also 12½ per cent., less tax.

CARRONGROVE PAPER.—Dividend of 7 per cent., less tax, on Ord., making 12 per cent. for year.

CALDWELLS PAPER MILL.—Final dividend of 5 per cent., less tax, on Ord. Shares.

DERBY TEA CO.—Interim Ord. dividend of 5 per cent., less tax.

ELECTRIC CONSTRUCTION CO.—Following interim dividends in respect of profits for the year ending March 31, 1927:—At rate of 7 per cent. per annum on the Pref., less tax, and at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum on Ord., less tax. (Same.)

EASTMAN KODAK OF NEW JERSEY.—Regular dividend of 1½ per cent. on Preferred Stock, regular dividend of $1.25 per share on Common Stock, extra dividend of $0.75 per share on Common Stock.

FOOTHILLS MALAYA RUBBER.—Interim dividend of 7½ per cent. actual, less tax. (Same.)

HENRY BRUCE AND SONS.—Dividend of 2/6 per share on Ord. Shares, less tax.

ISA BHEEL TEA CO.—Interim Ord. dividend of 10 per cent., less tax.

JAVA AMALGAMATED RUBBER.—Interim dividend of 7½ per cent. on account of year ending December 31, 1926, less tax. In 1925 there was no interim dividend, but 25 per cent was paid at end of year.

JAVA RUBBER AND PRODUCE.—Interim dividend of 20 per cent., less tax, in respect of year ending December 31, 1926. (Last year the interim was 25 per cent.)

J. LYONS AND CO., LTD.—Interim dividend for the half-year ended September 30, 1926, of 1/8 per share on the issued Ordinary and "A" Ordinary Share capital, and one-fifth of this amount (4d.) per share on the issued proportional profit and "B" proportional profit share capital. These distributions are unchanged from those made at this time last year.

LICHFIELD BREWERY.—Dividend of 6d. per share on Pref., less tax, and a dividend of 1/6 per share on Ord., less tax, making 5 per cent. per annum on Pref. and 11 2-3 per cent. per annum on Ord.

MERBAU RUBBER ESTATES.—Final dividend at rate of 13½ per cent., less tax, making 20 per cent. for the year, less tax. (15 per cent. last year.)

NEW ZEALAND LOAN AND MERCANTILE AGENCY CO.—Final dividend on Ord. Stock of 4 per cent., making 7 per cent. for the year (same), less tax (same).

PALACE AND DERBY CASTLE.—Dividend of 5 per cent. on Pref. and a dividend of 10 per cent. on Ord. Shares.

QUEEN'S CLUB GARDENS ESTATES.—Dividend of 8 per cent., less tax.

SECOND INDUSTRIAL TRUST.—Following final distributions for the year to September 30, 1926:—On the Cum. Pref. shares a dividend at rate of 4½ per cent. per annum, less tax, in respect of the half-year to September 30, 1926; on the Ord. a dividend at rate of 9 per cent. per annum, less tax, for the half-year to September 30, 1926, making 7 per cent. for the year.

SELF-SEALING RUBBER.—Dividend of 12 per cent., free of tax.

TRUST AND LOAN CO. OF CANADA.—Interim dividend at rate of 6 per cent. per annum for the six months ended September 30 last, free of British tax.

TRUSTEES CORPORATION.—Dividend on Preference Stock at rate of 4½ per cent. per annum, less tax, for half-year.

WALLARAH COAL CO.—Interim dividend for half-year ending June 30, 1926, of 9d. per share, free of tax. (Interim dividend declared last year was 1/- per share, free of tax.)

DEALINGS IN LONDON MARKET.

The following dealings among active stocks and shares were "marked" in London yesterday:—

Consols—54 7/16, 9/16, ⅜, ⅝, 15/32, 17/32, ½. **5 p.c. War Loan**—99 13/16, ¾, 13/16, 11/16, ⅞, 25/32, 23/32, £99 16/-, 99 27/32, 15/16. **Funding Loan**—84⅞, ¾, 11/16, 13/16, ⅝, *13/16. **Conversion Loan 3½ p.c.**—74 11/16, 9/16, ¾, *15/16, 21/32, 19/32, ⅝. **Australia 5 p.c. Stock**—96½, ⅛, ¼. **Aerated Bread**—29/4½, 3d., 9d., 6d. **African and Eastern**—28/-, 6d., 3d., 7½d., 4½d., 7/10½. **Allied Newspapers Ord.**—52/3, 6d., 9d. **Amalgamated Press**—60/9, 7½d., 1/-, 3d., 4½d., 6d. **Anglo-Dutch Rubber**—*54/6, 4/-, 6d., 3/10½. **Assoc. Cement**—16/10½, 17/0¾, 16/9, 17/1½, 17/-. **Assoc. Newspapers Def.**—7½, 17/32, 9/16, ⅝, 33-64, 19/32, 7/16. **Beecham Estates Pref.**—22/-. **Bovril Def.**—40/3, 2¼d., 4½d. **Brazilian Traction**—111⅛, 10¾, ¼, 11⅝, 10½. **British-American Tobacco**—*96/6, 9d., 6/-, 5/3, 4½d., 9d., 10½d., *5/-, 7½d. **British Oil and Cake**—26/-, 5/6. **Buenos Ayres Great Southern**—98, 7½, ¾, ⅞, ¾, ¼. **Canadian Pacific**—169½, ¼, *70¼, 168¾, 9. **Central Argentine Cons.**—71¼, ¾, 1½, ⅝, *1, 70⅜, ¾. **Coats**—60/3, 59/7½, 6d., 9d., 60/-. **Cook (St. Paul's) Ord.**—19/-, 3d., *18/6. **Courtaulds**—5 13-64, 7/32, ¼, 3/16, 15-64, £5 4/6, £5 4/9, 5 13-64, 17-64; **do. Pref.**—18/9¾, 7½d., 9d. **Cunard Ord.**—18/-. **"Daily Mail" Trust**—63/10½, 9d., 11¼d., 4/-. **"Daily Mirror" Ord.**—7 27/32, ⅞, 29/32, 53-64, 13/16, *13/16, 15/16, 59-64, 55-64, 57-64, 31/32, 8, 7¾. **Dunlop Ord.**—28/3, 5¼d., 6d., 6¾d., 7½d., 9d., 5¼d., *4½d., 9d., 8¼d.; **do. "C" Pref.**—23/10½, 4½d.; **do. 6 p.c. Debs.**—104½, *3½. **Elder-Dempster 6 p.c. Pref.**—17/10½. **English Sewing Cotton**—53/-, *2/3, 3d., 9d. **East Asiatic**—4/-, 4½d., 3/0¾, 11¼d. **Fine Cotton Spinners**—42/3, 9d., 3/-, 3d., 2/6. **General Electric Ord.**—29/3, 8/9; **do. Debs.**—104½, 5½. **German 3 p.c.**—16/6; **do. 7 p.c. External Loan**—102½, ⅞, ¾, 3. **Grand Central Rubber**—48/-, 7/3, 6d., 6/10½. **Great Western Rail**—89, *9, ⅛, ⅝, *¼, *⅛, ½, ¼; **do. 5 p.c. Pref.**—93¼, ¾. **Greek 7 p.c. Refugee**—91⅞, 2⅛, 2¼. **Harland and Wolff Pref.**—14/7½, 6d., 9d., 11¼d., 10½d. **Harrods Ord.**—56/6, 3d., 5/9, 5/6, 6/-, 10½d., 9d. **Highlands Rubber**—57/9¾, 6d., 8/1½. **Hudson's Bay Ord.**—5 19/32, 39-64, 9/16, £5 12/3, 5⅝. **Hungarian 7½ p.c., 1924**—103¾, 3. **Imperial Tobacco**—117/3, 1½d., 16/10½, 9d., 17/-, *16/10½, 17/-; **do. Canada**—26/9. **Lever 7 p.c. Pref.**—19/-, 3d., 1½d., 4½d., 3¾d., *18/10½. **Lever 8 p.c. Pref.**—18/4½, 3¾d., 1½d., *18/-. **Lipton Ord.**—10/7½. **Lister Ord.**—22/6, 7½d. **London Asiatic Rubber**—6/9¾, 10½d., 11¼d., 7½d., 7/-. **London Midland and Scottish Ord.**—73½, ¾, *⅜, ⅝, 4⅛, ¼, 3⅜, ⅞, 4, ⅜. **London and N.E. Pref.-Ord.**—*50⅛, ¼, ½, 50, *50, *49¾, 50⅜, ⅝, ½, ⅛. **London and N.E. Def.-Ord.**—*18¼, *⅜, ½, ¼. **Laras Debs.**—104¼, ½. **Lovell and Christmas Ord.**—30/7½. **Lyons (J.) and Co. Ord.**—78/9. **Malayalam Rubber**—43/-, 2/9. **Marconi Ord.**—15/9, 7½d., 6d., *16/-, 15/10½, 3d.; **do. Marine**—22/3. **Maypole Def.**—5/0¾. **Metropolitan Rail**—60½. **Metropolitan District**—58, ¼, ¾, 7⅞, 8½, ¼, 9, 8⅝, ⅞, ⅛. **Nobel Indus.**—35/4½, 6d., 3d., 7½d., 9d., *5/-; **do. Pref.**—22/9; **do. Deferred**—17/7½, 1½d., 4½d., *18/-. **Parent Def.**—35/1½. **Peruvian Corporation Pref.**—50¾, 1¼. **Phillips (Godfrey) Ord.**—90/-, 89/8¼, 4½d., 8/9. **Provincial Cinema Theatres**—14/3, 13/10½. **Radio Corporation Pref.**—10 1/16. **Rubber Trust**—43/9, 4/-, 1½d. **Selfridge Ord.**—27/-, 6/10½, *7/-, 6/9, 3d.; **do. Pref.**—*23/3, 3d., *6d. **Smithfield and Argentine**—8/5¼. **Southern Rail Pref.-Ord.**—78⅛, *7¾, ⅞, 8; **do. Def.-Ord.**—45⅝, ⅜, 9/16, 11/16, *⅜, ½, ¼, ⅜. **Sudan Plantations**—5 1/32, 1-64, 4 31/32, 15/16. **"Sunday Pictorial" Ord.**—85/7½, 3/9, 5/-, 4/4½, 8¼d. **Swedish Match "B."**—14 21/32, ⅝, 9/16. **Underground Income Bonds**—101¾, ⅞, ¼, ⅜, ⅝. **Union Cold Storage 6 p.c. Pref.**—19/1½, 6d., 3d. **United Dairies** (x.d.)—31/3, 6d., 9d., 2/-, *1/3, 7½d., 2/-. **United of Havana Rail** (x.d.)—66¾, 7. **United Serdang Rubber**—7/0½, 7/-, 6/11¼, 9¾d. **United Tobacco**—*95/7½. **Vickers**—8/10½, 9/1½, 9/-, *8/9¾, 9/2¼. **Watney Combe Def.**—261, 59. **Westminster Bank**—18 13/16, ¾, 11/16, ⅞. **White, Tomkins Ord.**—23/4½.

(*Exceptional bargain at special price.)

BANK OF ENGLAND RETURN.

INCREASE IN THE RESERVE.

Although the coin and bullion of the Bank of England diminished by about three-quarters of a million during the past week, the reserve is less than £44,000 down, owing to a contraction of nearly £703,000 in the note circulation. The coin and bullion has been reduced to little over 152 millions, and the reserve to a little under 33 millions. The other securities are two millions lower, a movement offset to the extent of £775,000 by an increase in the Government securities, while the public deposits are £520,000 lower. Consequently the decline in the private deposits is about £905,000, reducing that item to a little over 102 millions. Compared with the corresponding week last year, the reserve shows an increase of over 6¼ millions, the coin and bullion one of 4 millions, and the ratio an increase of about 5⅜ per cent.

WEEK ENDED NOVEMBER 10, 1926.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

Notes Issued	£170,247,940	Govt. Debt	£11,015,100
		Other Securities	8,734,900
		Gold Coin and Bullion	150,497,940
	£170,247,940		£170,247,940

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

Proprietors' Capital	£14,553,000	Government Securities	£35,210,435
Rest	3,195,191	Other Securities	69,366,346
Public deposits	16,637,775	Notes	31,413,455
Other deposits	102,163,819	Gold & Silver Coin	1,562,594
7-day & other Bills	3,055		
	£136,552,830		£136,552,830

Compared with last week:	Increase. £	Decrease £
Circulation (excluding 7-day and other Bills)	—	702,890
Public Deposits	—	520,437
Other Deposits	—	904,511
Government Securities	775,000	—
Other Securities	—	2,099,781
Bullion	—	746,546
Rest	57,161	—
Reserve	—	19,110

Proportion of Reserve to Liabilities 27 15/16%, against 27% last week.

The following shows the position of the Bank of England now and during the previous two years:—

	1926.	1925.	1924.
Circulation (excluding 7-day and other Bills)	£ 138,834,495	£ 141,519,165	£ 122,870,320
Public Deposits	16,637,775	13,188,532	15,862,522
Other Deposits	102,163,819	109,199,348	105,493,504
Govt. Securities	35,210,435	39,402,794	40,998,443
Other Securities	69,366,346	74,422,078	72,821,456
Reserve of Notes & Coin	32,976,049	26,288,904	25,373,933
Coin & Bullion	152,060,534	148,053,069	128,494,253
Reserve to Liabilities	27 15/16%	21½%	20⅞%
Bank Rate	5%	4%	4%
Consols	54½	55	58¾
Bar Silver	24 11/16d.	32d.	34d.
Clearinghouse Return	£ 763,972,000	£ 794,216,000	£ 610,997,000

THE MONEY MARKET.

CONDITIONS EASIER.

Easier conditions prevailed in Lombard street yesterday owing to the release of funds previously called in, while the banks were buying short-dated Treasuries. Old day-to-day money went on at 4 p.c., while fresh borrowers were able to obtain accommodation at 4¼ down to 4 p.c. and under. The discount market was quiet, apart from the inquiry for short-dated Treasuries by the banks, which were bidding for December bills at 4¼ and for January at 4⅛ p.c. The new Treasuries were changing hands at 4 11/16 p.c. to 1/32 over.

Bank Rate Discount (changed Dec. 2, 1925). 5%

60 days (fine)	4¼ %			
3 months	4¾	4 11/16 %	Trade	5 — 5½ %
4 months		4 11/16 %		5¼ — 5½ %
6 months		4⅞ %		5½ — 6 %
Loans to brokers day-to-day				4¼ %
for a week				4 %
Deposit allowance: Banks at call				3 %
Discount houses at call				3 %
at notice				3¼ %

The Bank of England announced the sale of £250,000 in sovereigns to Canada, and of £8,000 in bar gold. A sharp recovery took place in bar silver as a result of Indian buying, coupled with a scarcity of supplies, both the spot and forward prices rising 3/16d. to 25⅜d. and 25¼d. per oz. respectively. The market closed uncertain. The market price of gold remained at 84s. 11½d. per fine oz.

The American exchange improved to 4.84 5/16, closing at the day's highest figure. Among South American currencies, Brazilian milreis continued weak. French francs were hardly changed, while Belgas showed some appreciation at 34.81½, and to a slight extent Germany, Austria, Denmark and Greece moved against us. Italian lire were much worse at 118⅞. Pesetas lost the previous day's appreciation, and the currencies of Norway, Sweden and Rumania were rather cheaper. The Eastern exchanges were steady to firm, the Bombay rate hardening to 1s. 5 15/16d.

—	Nov. 11 Closing Rates.		Nov. 10 Closing Rates.		Par Rate
Amsterdam	12.11¾	12.12	12.11¾	12.12	12.10
B. Ayres	45 23/32	45 25/32	45 27/32	45 29/32	47⅝d.
Barcelona	32.02	32.04	32.04	32.06	25.22½
Berlin	20.41	20.42	20.41½	20.42½	20.43
Brussels	34.81	34.82	34.82	34.83	35.00*
Calcutta	1/5 53/64	1/5 55/64	1/5 53/64	1/5 55/64	2/0
Copenhagen	955	970	18.20	18.22	18.159
Geneva	25.13	25.14	25.13	25.14	25.22½
Greece	391	394	393	397	25.22½
Helsingfors	192½	192¾	192½	192¾	193.23
Italy	118½	119	116½	116¾	25.22½
Kobe (p.yn.)	2/0¼	2/0 5/16	2/0¼	2/0 5/16	24.58d.
Montreal	4.84	4.84⅛	4.84	4.84⅛	4.86 2/3
Montevideo	49⅛d.	49⅜d.	49⅛d.	49⅜d.	51d.
New York	4.84¼	4.84⅜	4.84 1/16	4.84¼	4.86 2/3
Oslo	19.37	19.39	19.34	19.37	18.159
Paris	150¼	150½	150⅝	150⅞	25.22½
Prague	163½	163¾	163½	163¾	24.02
Rio de Jan	6 3/16	6 7/32	6 7/32	6 9/32	27d.
Shanghai	2/5	2/5½	2/4⅞	2/5⅜	
Singapore	2/3¾	2/3 13/16	2/3¾	2/3 13/16	2/4
Stockholm	18.15	18.17	18.15½	18.16½	18.16
Vienna	34.38	34.43	34.40	34.43	34.58½
Warsaw	42	45	42	45	25.22½

* Belga.

DUBLIN BUSINESS DONE.

FUNDS FIRM. GUINNESS HARDER. COURTAULDS GOOD. RAILS IRREGULAR. DUNLOP FIRM.

Compensation 5 per cent. Stock rose ⅛ to 97½, but National 5 per cent. Loan, for an odd lot, fetched 98½, or ¼ lower. Land Bonds 4½ per cent. repeated 90.

British Funds were again rather harder. War Loan 5 per cent. repeated 99 11/16, but Consols rose 1/16 to 54⅝, and Irish Land 2¾ per cent. ⅛ to 57⅛.

Banks remain wanted. Bank Stock rose 1 to 290, and Munster and Leinsters repeated 7.

In Breweries, Guinness Ord. opened unchanged, but sellers at 60¼; but at the later market 60¾ was paid.

British and Irish Steam Pref. rose 3d. to 15s. 6d. for a few shares.

Rails were quiet. Great Northern fell ¼ to 25, but the Guaranteed closed buyers and unchanged at 51⅞. Great Southern Ord. eased ¼ to 19¼ for an odd lot, but the Pref. rose ½ to 38, and the Guaranteed ½ to 52½ but Loop Line Guaranteed was offered and fell 3 to 55.

In Trams, Dublin United Ord. opened unaltered at 6⅛, with later dealing at 6 1/16. Dunlop Rubber Ord. rose 1½d. to 28s. 4½d., 28s. 6d.

Alliance Gas opened ⅛ lower at 8⅜ for a small lot, but later 8 7/16 was paid and bid.

In Drapery Shares Pim Bros. Ord. rose 9d. to 50s. 3d.

Among Manufacturing Shares, British-American Tobacco repeated 95s. 6d., and Imperials 117s. Courtaulds rose 1s. 3d. to 104s. 9d. after all offered at 103s. 9d. had been absorbed. Coats eased 3d. to 60s. Lever Bros. 7 p.c. Pref. repeated 19s. 1½d., but the 8 p.c. Pref. fell 1½d. to 18s. 1½d. Vickers were unchanged at 9s.

In Trading, etc., Irish-American Oil Pref. were firm and unaltered at 21s. 6d. Dublin Artisan Dwellings closed ⅛ higher at 6 to 6¼ nominally. *Irish Times* Pref. issues were marked ex-dividend, but did not change hands. Gresham Hotel Shares quoted 7¼, and Cross and Blackwell Ord. 2s 6d. for the 1s. shares.

Mexican Eagle Oil fell 1½d. to 20s. 6d. British-Controlled Common opened 3d. lower at 4s. 7½d., but later business was done at 5s. Burmah Oils realised 123s. 4½d., x.d.

BUSINESS DONE:

National Ln. (98¼) *98½		Pim Ord. (49/6) 50/3	
Compens. Stock (97) 97⅛		B.A.T. (95/6) 95/6	
Land Bonds (90) 90		Imp. Tob. (117/-) 117/-	
Consols (54¼) 54⅝		Coats (60/3) 60/-	
5% War Ln. (99¾) 99 11/16		Courtaulds	
Land Stk. 1903 (57) 57⅛		(103/6) 103/10½ 4/9	
Bank Stock (289) 290		Crosse & Blackwell	
Mun. & Lein. Bk. (7) *7		(4/-) 2/6	
Guinness (60¼) 60¼ 60¾		Lever 7% (19/1½) 19/1½	
B. & I. Stm. (15/3) 15/6		Do. 8% (18/3) 18/1½	
G.N. Ord. (25¼) 25		Vickers (9/-) 9/-	
Do. Guar. (51⅞) 51⅞		Burmah Oil	
G.S. Ord. (19½) *19¼		(121/3) *123/4½ x.d.	
Do. Pref. (37½) 38		Irish-Amer. Oil Pref. 21/6	
Do. Guar. (52) 52½		Con. Oil Com. 4/7½ *5/-	
Do. "Loop" Line (58) 55		Mex. Eagle Ord. 20/6	
Dublin Tram (6⅛) *6⅛		Art. Dwlgs. (6) 6 6¼	
Alliance Gas (8½) *8⅜ 8 7/16		Gresham Hotel (7) 7¼	
Arnott Ord. (95/1½) 95/6		Dunlops (28/4½) 28/4½ /6	

* Odd lot, a asked, b bid, c cash.

(Last business done given in parentheses.)

IRISH BANKS RATE.

Discount	6 p.c.	Dec. 3, 1925.
Deposit	2½ p.c.	Dec. 3, 1925.

STOCK EXCHANGE SETTLEMENTS.

Contango	Nov. 22	Dec. 6
Mining ticket	Nov. 23	Dec. 7
General ticket	Nov. 24	Dec. 8
Account day	Nov. 25	Dec. 9

BELFAST.

There was very little business doing. 5 p.c. War Loan changed hands at 99⅝, ¾, 11/16, 11/16. 3½ p.c. Conversion Loan advanced to 74 11/16. 4 p.c. Victory Bonds were lower at 91 11/16. Midland Bank repeated 8 11/16. Treasury Bonds 5½ p.c. were done at 101¼. Belfast Corporation 5 p.c. new repeated 96⅜. Shell Transport 4⅝. Coats Ord. advanced to 60s. 1½d. Dunville's fell back to 8¼. Dunlops unchanged at 28s. 3d. Lever Bros. 7 p.c. Cum. Pref. repeated 19s. 4½d. Messrs. Stevenson and Orr 5 p.c. 11s.

NOT FOR THE UNITED STATES.

When Mr. John Kilbane, for the third time, applied for a licence for his hotel in Achill Island (which was granted), Mr. Fitzgerald-Kenny, K.C., for the applicant, asked a Civic Guard Sergeant how many people from the United States stayed at Mr. Kilbane's hotel.

Judge Power, amidst laughter, told the sergeant not to answer, as it was not for the United States that he was granting the licence.

NO WAR BONUSES FOR MEN ON SERVICE.

£250,000 TEST CASE AT LIVERPOOL.

A test case involving a sum of £250,000 in respect of war bonuses was decided in favour of the Liverpool Corporation by Mr. Justice Branson at the Liverpool Assizes.

A claim was made by eight ex-Service municipal employés for war bonus, in addition to the Corporation's active service grant, it being contended that, under the resolutions passed by the City Council in 1914, the men remained in the service of the Corporation, and were entitled to the increased emoluments received by the employés who remained at home.

The Corporation successfully contended that the bonuses did not apply to men in the Forces.

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U.S. MARKETS.

STOCKS CLOSED STRONG.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

NEW YORK, Thursday.

Stocks opened irregular, and later firmness developed, and activity in Oils, Public Utilities, Foods, Merchandise issues, Chemicals and Coppers "featured" the dealings. Rails failed appreciably to respond to the record-breaking carloadings of last week, and Motors were quiet. A further easing in the credit situation was reflected by the decline in bankers' acceptances, while a plentiful supply of call money was available below 4¼ p.c. in the outside market. Montana Power, Texas Gulf Sulphur, Du Pont and a dozen other issues sold at the highest prices for the year. Rails ultimately responded to the buoyancy in other sections, with Atchison Common, Atlantic Coast Line, Chesapeake and Ohio, and Chicago North-Western Common and Preferred shares leading the rally. South Porto Rican Sugar advanced 7, U.S. Cast Iron Pipe 5, and United Railways Investment Preferred 25 points. The market closed strong. Government Bonds firm; Railroad Bonds firm. The day's sales amounted to 1,250,000 shares.

Money on call closed steady at 4¼ p.c. bid and 4½ p.c. asked. All business was done at 4¼ p.c. Prime mercantile paper was quoted at 4½ p.c. Sterling exchange firm. Silver 1c. higher at 54⅜.

The following dividends have been declared: Southern Pacific Railroad, quarterly 1½ p.c. Union Pacific Railroad, quarterly 1½ p.c. Union Pacific Railroad, quarterly 2½ p.c. General Motors Corporation, quarterly 1¾ p.c. and an extra 4 p.c.

	Thur.	Wed.
Call Money	4¼b. 4½a	4¼b. 4½a
Exchange on Lon.—60 days sight	4.80¼	4.80
Do. do. Demand Bills	4.84 9/16	4.84 5/16
Cable Transfers	4.85	4.84¾
Do. Montreal	4.84⅝	4.84 1/16
Exchange Paris cable	3.22½	3.22

Eng. Parity.	STOCKS.	Thur	Wed
105⅜	U.S. Funded	102¼	102¼
160 15/16	Atchison, Topeka, Santa Fe	158	154¾
102 9/16	Do. Pref.	99½	99¼
107 1/16	Baltimore and Ohio	103⅞	103½
168 15/16	Canadian Pacific	163¾	164
8¾	Chicago, Milwaukee, & St. Paul	8½	8⅝
80 11/16	Chicago and North-West	78¼	77⅛
39 15/16	Erie Shares	38¾	38¾
47 15/16	Erie 1st Preferred	46½	46⅛
125¾	Illinois Central	122	122
134½	Louisville and Nashville	130½	131
33	Missouri, Kansas, and Texas	32	32
40 5/16	Missouri Pacific New	39	38¼
139 9/16	New York C'tral & Hudson R.	135⅜	134⅝
170 1/16	Norfolk and West Com.	165	164
81 9/16	Northern Pacific Com.	79⅛	78¼
57⅞	Pennsylvania Shares	56⅛	55⅞
90 7/16	Reading Shares	87¾	87¾
41	Do. Pref.	39¾	39¾
122⅝	Southern Railway	118½	118¼
110	Southern Pacific	106¾	106¾
167¼	Union Pacific	162¼	162
81 7/16	Do. Pref.	79	79
141 7/16	American Smelt. and Refining	137¼	135
50⅝	Anaconda Copper	48⅞	48⅞
23 11/16	Brit.-American Tobacco Coupon	23	23
113½	New York Consolidated Gas	110⅛	109⅜†
86 5/16	General Electric (New Stock)	83¾	83
156 11/16	National Lead	152	152
153 5/16	United States Steel Common	148⅝	146½
131 11/16	Do. Pref.	127¾	127⅝
45⅞	Bethlehem Steel Com. Stock	44½	44¼
153 11/16	General Motors (New)	149⅛	148½
7½	Inter. Mer. Marine Com. Certs.	7¼	7⅛
36⅞	Do. Pref. Certs.	35¾	35½
45⅛	Shell Ordinary	43¾	43⅝
66½	Pan-American Petroleum "B"	64½	63¾
21½	Anglo-American Oil	20⅞	20¾
31 9/16	Shell Union Oil Corp.	30⅝	30½
64 11/16	U.S. Rubber	62¾	63⅞
53½	American Can. (New Stock)	51⅞	51⅜
33	International Pet. of Canada	32	32
—	Silver Commercial Bars	54⅜	53⅝
	BONDS.		
95⅝	Atch. Top. New 4% Gen. Mort.	92¾	92¾
74⅛	Erie Rail. Gen. 4% Lien Bonds	71⅞	71⅞
97 7/16	Union Pacific 4% Bonds	94½	94⅛
110¼	U.S. Steel 2nd Mort. 5% Bonds	107	107⅛
121¼	U.K. 5½ per cent. Bonds, 1929	117⅝	117⅝
107 15/16	Do. Do. 1937	104¾	104¾
108½	7 per cent. German Loan	105¼	105⅛

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKETS.

WHEAT—Spot steady, unchanged to ⅛c. down.

	To-day.	Prev day.
No. 2 Hard Winter, spot	154⅞	154⅞
No. 2 Red Winter, spot	152⅜	152⅜
No. 2 Mixed Durum, spot	150⅜	150⅜
No. 1 Northern Manitoba, spot	161⅝	161⅝

Futures steady, ¼c. to ⅛c. up. Closing options—December, 145⅛; May, 150⅛; July, 143¾.

Sales for export—75 boatloads.

RYE steady and unchanged. No. 2 spot, 107.

Sales for export—Nil.

BARLEY steady and unchanged. American malting, 76.

MAIZE steady at late rates.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
Western No. 2 mixed spot	84⅜	84⅜

Sales for export—Nil.

LARD steady and unaltered. Prime Western steam, 12.90; Middle West, 12.70 to 12.80.

FLOUR barely steady, unchanged to 5 points lower. Spring clears, 100 per cent., 7.00 to 7.35.

FREIGHTS.

Heavy grain to Great Britain, per quarter, 7/- to 8.

Heavy grain to Continent, per 100lbs., 30c. to 35c.

Cotton—High density to Great Britain, per 100lbs., 100c.

Cotton—Standard bales to Great Britain, per 100lbs., 125c.

PETROLEUM steady.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
Standard White in cases	19.15	19.15
Standard White in barrels	15.75	15.75
Do. Philadelphia	15.75	15.75
Mid-Continent Crude	33-33.9	33-33.9
Pennsylvania Crude	2.85-3.40	2.85-3.40

RUBBER closed steady, 10 points down to unchanged. First latex crepe, spot 41½ buyers; smoked ribbed sheets, spot 41½ buyers, 41¾ sellers.

BURLAPS dull. Hessian cloth, light-weight, 7.20; heavy-weight, 8.60.

COFFEE—

Options—	Dec.	Jan.	Mar.	May	July	Sept.
To-day	15.78	15.65	15.25	14.71	14.28	13.75
Prev. day	15.90	15.75	15.38	14.88	14.43	13.87

SUGAR—Centrifugal Cuban spot barely steady, 3 points lower; 96 test centrifugal Cuban, 4.55. Futures steady, unchanged to 1 point down. Approximate day's sales—56,000 tons.

Options—	Dec.	Jan.	Mar.	May.	July	Sept.
To-day	2.77	2.82	2.81	2.89	2.97	3.04
Prev. day	2.77	2.82	2.81	2.90	2.97	3.04

Sugar sale—7,000 bags of Cuban at 40.55 for prompt shipment.

TALLOW steady. Extra loose, 7½.

TURPENTINE—Spirits of turpentine, 89½.

METALS.—Tin easy, 75 to 50 points cheaper; spot and near-by, 70.25; January, 66.50. Tin Plates, 5.50. Lead steady, 8.00. Zinc steady and unchanged; East St. Louis spot, 7.20. Iron steady; No. 2 American Northern Foundry, f.o.b. Buffalo, 19.50 to 20.50. Bessemer Steel Rails, 43.

WINNIPEG GRAINS.

WHEAT opened steady, ¼c. to ⅝c. up, and closed steady, ¼c. down to unchanged. Opening options—Dec., 140⅛; May, 144; July, 142⅝. Closing—Dec., 139⅝; May, 143⅝; July, 142¼. Rye steady and ½c. up. Closing options—Dec., 97; May, 102¾. Oats barely steady and ⅛c. down. Closing options—Dec., 56¼; May, 57⅛. Barley barely steady, ⅛c. down to unchanged. Closing options—Dec., 64⅝; May, 67⅝. Flaxseed easy, 1⅝c. to ⅝c. lower. Closing options—Dec., 192¾; May, 201¾.

Wheat receipts (carlots)	To-day.	Prev. day.
No. 1 Northern	131	198
No. 2 Northern	401	353
No. 3 Northern	173	183
No. 4 Northern	98	115
Other grades	1,269	1,382
Total	2,072	2,231

NEW YORK COTTON.

COTTON at the commencement of business was steady and unchanged to 2 points up. The market closed steady, 4 points to 1 point higher. Spot quiet and unchanged.

Spot middling upland at New York—12.70.

Receipts—Atlantic ports, 12,000 bales; Gulf, 53,000; Pacific, 2,000; interior towns, 10,000.

Exports—Great Britain, 19,000 bales; Continent, 7,000; Japan, 10,000.

The New Orleans Cotton Exchange has been closed to-day.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Thursday.

The Chicago Board of Trade has been closed to-day.

HOGS easy, with light descriptions 25 to 45 points and heavy 35 to 40 points down. Light hogs, 11.50 to 11.80; heavy hogs, 11.65 to 12.10.

	To-day	Same day last year
Receipts—Western Cities	106,000	121,000
Chicago	40,000	34,000

Receipts of hogs at fifteen principal Western centres, including Chicago, since 1st November 936,000, against 1,011,000 same season last year.

IRISH LABOUR PARTY AND UNEMPLOYMENT.

Speaking at a Labour meeting in Ennis, Mr. Thomas Johnson, T.D., Chairman of the Irish Labour Party, said that his party had placed itself in direct opposition to the Government in respect of the problem of unemployment. The Government, on its part, said that it accepted no responsibility for providing work for the unemployed, but would facilitate and assist the private employer, by one means or another, to promote industry. The Labour Party, on the other hand, said that there was a responsibility laid upon the Government, as representing organised society. That responsibility was that where a man showed his willingness to work and to give value to the community it was the duty of the community to provide means of employment, or, failing that, adequate maintenance for the man and his dependents. If this principal was accepted, then many of the social problems that arise from poverty would be solved, and very many of the obstacles in the way of increased wealth-production would automatically be removed.

A Bishop would be more angry if you told him he was not a gentleman than if you told him he was not a Christian.—Dean Inge.

LICENSING LAWS IN THE NORTH.

NO NEW LEGISLATION.

SIR JAMES CRAIG'S STATEMENT.

SIR JAMES CRAIG, Bart., Prime Minister of Northern Ireland, at the quarterly meeting of the County Down Grand Orange Lodge in Newry, yesterday discussed licensing reform, and denied the recent rumours that he intended to resign the Premiership.

He said that he could not re-open the licensing question so long as he was Prime Minister. In this irrevocable decision he had the fullest support of every member of his Cabinet.

Sir James observed that he was just about to proceed to a delightful and touching ceremoney, and he was loath to leave what he believed was the closing chapter in the settlement of the Boundary to deal with a domestic question in which, in his opinion, lay the germ of an equally great danger to their province. In the old days he often anticipated that a severe testing time for Ulster would be the years immediately succeeding the settlement of the Home Rule question and that of the Boundary; that the sense of freedom thus created would promote an inclination to press forward claims of one kind and another, without a full realisation of the peril in which the loyalist cause might be placed. Now the Cabinet was being sorely pressed drastically to relax their licensing restrictions in regard to Sunday trading and in other directions, and at the same time they observed a movement towards local option. Although it was unusual to anticipate so far ahead as the next general election, which might not take place till 1929, he felt it his duty to make the position quite clear so far as his colleagues and he were concerned, and to give a timely lead to public opinion. Otherwise their silence might be misconstrued. (Hear, hear.)

RESIGNATION QUESTION.

First of all, let him repeat what he had said recently in the Ulster Reform Club. He had no intention of resigning; he was in the hands of the supreme arbitrament of the Ulster Unionist Council. So long as his health permitted, and he continued to retain their confidence and that of the loyalists whom they represented, his services were at the command of Ulster. Nothing could tempt him to deviate from the path of duty to those who had so generously supported him throughout the past six strenuous years.

Looking ahead with regard to the licensing laws, they asked themselves the question, "What is best for Ulster?" and they answered emphatically, "Leave well alone." Ulster was sober, even more so than certain countries where strict prohibition was said to prevail. Moreover, Ulster was not only sober, but was improving steadily all the time, through the good sense of her people, the efforts of the Christian Churches, and the better education now provided. They had just recently passed a Licensing Act, which had proved beneficial. It had brought about a great reform. The community was settling down under it. At first it created considerable cleavage in their ranks. That was now all healed.

After prolonged and earnest consideration, he had come to the conclusion, in which he was fortified by the unanimous opinion of his colleagues, that he could not reopen that question while he was Prime Minister.

His reasons were many—one great temperance reform measure was as much as should be reasonably expected in the time of any Prime Minister. To begin all over again would open wide the floodgates, and no man could safely foretell what might happen to Ulster as a whole while protagonists were waging a bitter internecine war. Candidates would be pledged, some one way and some another, risking the entry into the field of third parties, who, taking advantage of a split in the Unionist ranks, might win through and capture their Parliament, to the end that all they had fought for and all they had so hardly won might be destroyed. Their margin of safety over Republicans, Nationalists, Socialists and so-called Independents in the House of Commons, when the remaining Nationalists took their seats, was deplorably narrow; there were only seven seats to be won by their opponents to overthrow the Government and plunge Ulster into chaos. He had never played for popularity, and he did not propose to begin now; he preferred sober progress with safety, and he refused to plunge the province into so great a danger.

ULSTER'S NEED.

What Ulster required, and what the agricultural and great business community had a right to demand, after all the risks and anxieties through which they had passed, was peace, less disturbing legislation, and close application to the practical work of getting on. He hoped that he had made himself abundantly clear beyond any misunderstanding. When the small necessary amending bill to which he had referred in Parliament was passed into law, neither the liquor trade, on the one hand, nor the temperance advocates on the other, would persuade him to take up that thorny question again, though, of course, the Cabinet would favourably consider any agreed proposal put forward by the two contending parties.

He reiterated that he had the authority of every one of his colleagues in the Cabinet for arriving at this irrevocable decision, and they confidently relied upon the support of all those whom they desired to serve. His last word was one of warning to those individuals who would set the heather afire. Let them count the cost, let them follow, in their minds, to its logical and inevitable conclusion, the effect of splitting their Unionist ranks. If they did that they would not hesitate a moment in saying with him, "Leave well alone."

THE PRESENTATION.

Sir James and Lady Craig afterwards attended a meeting of Orangemen and Unionists of Newry district in the Lecture Hall of Downshire Road Presbyterian Church, where they received presentations in acknowledgment of their services in connection with the Boundary problem.

The presentation to Sir James was a massive silver loving cup, and that to Lady Craig was a handsome fruit basket of pierced silver. Both gifts were inscribed—"Not an inch." The speakers included Mr. J. F. Agnew (Chairman) and Lord Kilmorey, who made the presentation.

Lady Craig briefly thanked those present for their handsome gift, and Sir James Craig, in his reply, acknowledged the presentation, and went on to pay a tribute to his colleagues in the Government. He said that he could not speak unmoved of their loyalty throughout the recent struggle. Newry played its part magnificently in that struggle, and now it had its reward. They rejoiced that, as the outcome of a friendly settlement, good feeling existed between North and South, and between all sections of the people in their own area.

Sir James, in conclusion, proposed a vote of thanks to Lord Kilmorey for making the presentation.

ROYAL DUBLIN SOCIETY.

NOMINATIONS FOR COMING ELECTIONS.

The stated general meeting of the Royal Dublin Society was held in the Members' Hall yesterday, having been convened for the purpose of receiving nominations of candidates for election as honorary officers and members of the Council.

The following representatives are eligible for re-election:—

Vice-Presidents:—Professor J. Joly, Viscount Powerscourt, Captain Sir Henry Greer, D.L., C.M.G.; Mr. Justice Wylie, Mr. L. E. Steele, M.A., and Professor A. W. Conway.

Hon Secretary—Professor W. E. Adeney.

Sections of Council.—Agriculture—Captain C. Fetherstonhaugh, D.L.; Mr. J. Leonard, Lord HolmPatrick, Leonard Poë. Science—Professor F. E. Hackett, Professor H. Seymour, Professor W. E. Thrift, Professor S. Young, and Mr. R. Lloyd Praeger. General Purposes—Messrs. J. W. Drury, G. Scriven, M.D.; J. Good, D.L., Sir Simon Maddock, D.L., and the Right Hon. James MacMahon.

Nominations received were:—For Agricultural Section—Mr. Walter J. Walsh Science Section—Sir Frederick W. Moore. General Purposes Committee—Mr. J. Chibborn Hill.

The election will take place on December 2.

Thousands of ladies keep a box of Martin's Pills in the house. Those who use them recommend them, hence their enormous sale. Price 5s. Sold by all Chemists and Stores; or post free from Proprietors, Martin, Chemist, Southampton.—(Advt.)

THE BROADCASTING CORPORATION.

IMPORTANT POWERS.

"To collect news of, and information relating to, current events in any part of the world, and in any manner that may be thought fit, and to establish and subscribe to news agencies," is one one of the important powers conferred upon the British Broadcasting Corporation, which comes into being on January 1st next for a period of ten years.

The draft of the Royal Charter for the incorporation of the new body and the licence to be granted by the Postmaster-General was issued yesterday. The Earl of Clarendon, as Chairman of the Governors, is to receive £3,000; Lord Gainford, Vice-Chairman, £1,000, and each of the remaining three Governors £700 per annum, and all are entitled to remain in office for five years. The licence granted to the Corporation provides that whenever requested by any Department of the Government they shall send from all, or any of the stations, any matter which such Department may require to be broadcast.

POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S POWERS.

The Postmaster-General may from time to time require the Corporation to refrain from sending by broadcast matter specified by notice in writing, and is empowered to revoke the licence if, in his opinion, the Corporation does not adequately perform the covenants on its part "to send efficiently from the stations a programme of broadcast matter," or for any breach of any provisions in the Charter.

By the agreement between the Postmaster-General and the British Broadcasting Company, Ltd., for the transfer of service, the company is to receive £620,000 in full satisfaction of all claims against the Postmaster-General. £424,000 of this sum already has been paid.

ENGLISH MAIL ROBBERY.

TWO WOMEN AND A MAN ARRESTED IN CAFE.

The Press Association's Coventry Correspondent states that two women and a man were detained at Coventry last evening in connection with the mail van robbery, which took place near Pershore, Worcester, on the 6th inst. The attention of detectives on duty in a slum area was drawn to two well-dressed women and a man, whom they kept under observation. When they entered a *café* a net was drawn round the premises, and the detectives, entering, detained the "suspects."

There was a struggle, and a rumour went out that one of the women discharged a revolver, but it was afterwards found that the weapon was a toy and the cartridge a blank. The sound of the discharge attracted a crowd to the *café*, and it was not until the struggling group had reached the kitchen that the detectives were able to get the upper hand of the "suspects," who were removed to Coventry Police Station, and were later conveyed to Worcester, to be charged at Pershore this morning.

NO MONEY TO PAY RATES.

MAN WHO ALLEGED COUNCIL ROBBED HIM.

Several committal orders against defaulting ratepayers, mostly of the small farmer class, were made by the District Justice at Blessington.

In the case of Myles Clarke, Lacken, the Registrar said that the respondent had not been long out of prison in respect of a previous committal order.

The respondent said that he was not able to pay. He had one beast, but it died. He would try to pay £1 that day month.

The Justice made an order committing the defendant to prison for three months, with a stay of execution for two months.

Philip Hanlon, Rathnaboe, another respondent, stated that he used to be a road contractor, but the Council robbed him. They owed him £108, and he had no money to pay rates. He had a farm, but he would not sell it.

The Justice made an order for committal for three months, with a stay of three weeks.

LOSS OF A HEIFER.

FARMER SUES GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY.

At Monaghan District Court an interesting case was heard, in which Alexander Hazlett, auctioneer and farmer, Mullabane, Glaslough, sued the Great Northern Railway Company for £13 damages for injuries to a heifer, alleged to have been caused by the defective state of a stile between plaintiff's lands and the railway.

Mr. William Martin, solicitor, said that the railway at the place in question ran through Mr. Hazlett's lands. There were fences on either side, with a gate and a stile on each side. The heifer tried to cross the stile, injured itself between the steps, and had to be killed. When sheep were grazing in the field Mr. Hazlett had to put bushes on top of the stile.

Mr. M. E. Knight, solicitor for the railway company, said that the defendant's case might be classed as an inevitable accident, and did not arise from negligence on the part of the defendants or any breach of their statutory duty. This form of stile had superseded those formerly in use, being more suitable for the use of pedestrians, for whose convenience they were intended. If the Court was satisfied that this was the form of stile in general use and was in good order, then there was no case to answer.

Judgment was reserved. District Justice Hannan stating that he wished to look into the law on the subject.

TEXAS TRIPLE MURDER.

NEGRO AND WIFE BURNED IN RANCH RAID.

HOUSTON (TEXAS), Thursday.

A triple murder, recalling the days of the Wild West, with its scenes of primitive passion, was committed on the Blakeley ranch last night.

Seven white men on horseback galloped up to the cabin of Scott Evans, the negro foreman of the ranch. They called him by his name, and when he appeared at the doorway of the cabin the "night riders" shot him dead on the spot. They then summoned the negro cook, a man called Holmes, and ordered him to leave the place at once.

As soon as he had gone they set fire to the cabin and riddled it with bullets, and the other occupants, a negro cowboy named Brown and his wife, who preferred to remain within rather than face the white men, perished in the flames.

The bodies of the pair were found buried in the ruins of the cabin this morning. It is expected that one of the perpetrators of the crime will soon be arrested.—(Reuter.)

IRISH NATIONAL LEAGUE.

A private conference, which was attended by several leading citizens and public representatives, was held in Limerick in connection with the new National Party. The Dublin Central Organisation was represented by Mr. Thomas O'Donnell, ex-M.P., and Mr. B. C. Hackett, Acting Secretary.

BALLINA COUNCIL WAGES.

The Ballina Urban District Council has decided to reduce the wages of carters in its employment from £4 10s. to £3 10s. per week, and the wages of labourers from £2 12s. 6d. to £2.

Presentation.—In Cork Municipal Offices recently, the City Accountant, Mr. E. J. Toomey, was presented by the officers and staff of the Corporation with a silver tea service, a case of pipes and a pouch, on the occasion of his forthcoming marriage.

"Dole" Fraud.—At Londonderry Petty Sessions, William Wisner, 108 Fountain street, was prosecuted for obtaining unemployment benefit on six dates on which it was alleged by the Northern Ministry of Labour, that he had been employed in his own home at boot-repairing. The magistrates fined the defendant 10s. in each of four cases. The fines would have been heavier but for the fact that the defendant had been wounded in the war.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

UNIVERSITIES AND POLITICS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—May I call attention to one curious statement in Professor Gatenby's interesting and provocative lecture which dealt, *inter alia*, with organic evolution? To quote from your report of the 10th inst., "he deplored the growing tendency, for not only the younger Irish university man, but also some of the maturer scholars, to abandon their studies for the political arena." As this was evidently intended to apply to Dublin University, it would be interesting to know to whom or what Professor Gatenby's strictures referred. To judge from anything which has appeared publicly on the surface, political ebullitions or excitement would seem to be peculiarly lacking in the University.

It would seem more justifiable to criticise Trinity College for precisely the opposite reason—namely, that in Irish politics of recent years its contribution has been less than might have been expected from Ireland's premier university. There have been reasons in the past why Trinity has kept apart from certain parts of the life of the country. Those reasons have now disappeared. We have a new system of government. We have a host of new and interesting problems to be dealt with. We have, in fact, a new Ireland to make; and we are by now rather painfully conscious that, as a country, we are not too well equipped with men who are really competent to deal with this great constructive enterprise. What could be more natural or more proper than that the younger generation of Irishmen, of every section, should be taking a keen interest in their country's problems, and that some of them should be definitely preparing themselves for playing an active part?

It may be possible for Dr. Gatenby, in his position of Antipodean aloofness, to look coldly on these things that so intimately concern us; but it is to be desired that Irishmen (including his students) should have very different feelings regarding them. If Trinity College has, as he said, a splendid tradition of scholarship, it has a no less splendid tradition of public service. No sensible person wishes students to give up their studies for politics or the Senior Sophister to become forthwith a Cabinet Minister; but did Edmund Burke or Thomas Davis—to mention but two of the alumni of whom Trinity is proud—hold themselves completely aloof from political affairs when in College?

A university education is surely intended to fit a man not merely for study, but for life, and politics is an important part of life. We cannot all be scientists, but we must all be citizens. If the old tag may be permitted, "man is a political animal." Perhaps, Dr. Gatenby's researches into evolution will lead him to agree that this is one of the chief respects in which man differs from his simian relatives.—Yours, etc.,

BOLTON C. WALLER.

31 Mespil road, Dublin,
November 11th, 1926.

PROTECTION OF PRINTING.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—The proceedings at the meeting held on behalf of the printing trade by the trade union organisations who are concerned make it clear that there is great unemployment. The problem, however, was not fully presented, and the remedy which they recommend seems to be based upon an incorrect diagnosis of the causes of the disease from which the trade is suffering. The matter is one of very great interest to the public—everybody is concerned in printed matter of all kinds—and it is desirable that certain other factors not referred to at the meeting should be weighed in the balance before any final conclusion is come to on the merits of the proposed remedy.

The employés engaged in the printing trade are men of skill and intelligence. There is undoubtedly a high level of excellence called for, and it is particularly distressing that men who have been trained in special knowledge and for a special purpose should not be able to obtain employment and exercise their skill. It is, therefore, with no idea of wishing in any way to minimise the serious position of the trade, or from any want of sympathy, that I question the suitability of their proposals.

Printing is required by manufacturers, distributors, private individuals, etc., in proportion to the amount of business which they are transacting, and when business generally is slack there must be a reduced demand for printing.

That demand is largely influenced by the price of the article which is supplied to meet it, and it is well known that in recent years the high cost of printing has forced upon all users the severest form of economy. This applies not only to business establishments, but to all that varied number of philanthropic and other organisations which in the past made use of annual reports, with lists of subscribers. The use of printing in these cases has been made prohibitive, and the loss in orders must be very considerable, indeed.

The much more extensive use of the telephone, the high cost of postage and some changes in people's habits have led to a restriction of the demand.

A factor which influences the Dublin printing trade (and the protest in your columns is one which is made by the Dublin craftsmen) is the better work now done in provincial centres. Not so many years ago orders in considerable volume were obtained from country districts. I think it is quite true to say that such orders are not coming up in the same volume, and that, on the other hand, many orders have been sent to the country which used to be executed here. My attention was drawn only the other day to a case where an order was kept in the city on the grounds of sentiment—the buyer paying £17 more than he would otherwise have done. The proposed destination of the order was not a cross-Channel firm, but a provincial establishment.

None of these factors would be in any degree eliminated by protection. Let it be remembered that the printing trade was built up in the past without any protective walls, by the joint wisdom and skill of masters and men, with the result that before the war it was—and, indeed, probably is still—one of the trades employing the largest number of skilled and highly-paid employés in the Free State; and, further, that, as one of the speakers explained, the unemployment problem did not become specially serious until January, 1925, when one of the Dublin newspaper offices closed its doors—a circumstance which is explained by other causes than the absence of a tariff.

The suggestion is made that the importation of printed matter is one of the serious causes of unemployment. This could only be so (a) if there had been a great increase in the quantity imported, (b) if, in relation to the total quantity of printing used in the Irish Free State, the imported value formed a large proportion. I cannot believe that internal production could be less than £500,000, and, indeed, it is probably much more—I mean "jobbing" printing, not newspaper production. The total import value of "books and printed matter, other than newspapers," was £366,902 in 1925. This included all books (educational, historical, and fiction), and also magazines. Only a fraction could be allocated as representing printing matter of the kind it is desired to exclude, and which could be produced here. It is the large estimate of the value of this fraction which has led to the proposal that imported printed matter is the cause of unemployment.

It is unfortunate that since 1923, when the idea of obtaining protection first took root in certain minds, the attention of those engaged in the printing trade has been absorbed by this issue, and other possibilities for improvement have not received adequate attention. This is not the time or place to discuss other factors which are important. Many matters have been the subject of discussion between the Dublin Master Printers' Association and the trade union organisations, and a satisfactory solution might help materially to improve the general position. The desirability of finding a solution is pressing. The matter is not one which can be argued to a satisfactory conclusion by letters to the Press—although publicity of that kind is most valuable and essential—but it is one regarding which a wise decision is of the utmost importance, and I hope that in putting forward these suggestions I will have helped towards that end.—Yours, etc.,

J. C. M. EASON.

80 Middle Abbey street, Dublin,
November 11th, 1926.

DUBLIN'S ELECTRICITY SUPPLY.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—When a member of the Dublin Corporation and Electricity Committee, I never hesitated to oppose or criticise schemes which I considered to be against the best interests of the undertaking in general, and the ratepayers in particular. To-day I consider it not alone a duty, but a pleasure, to support the appeal of the present Commissioners and Mr. Kettle, their Electrical Engineer, for the use of economy in current under the existing very trying conditions. Mr. Kettle rightly points out that, while the Commissioners have no power to enforce economy, they have full power to curtail the supply, which, if forced upon them, will inflict serious inconvenience and injury upon every resident in Dublin.

The mere fact that, though coal prices have gone up by nearly six hundred *per cent.*, current has not been increased in price, proves the present efficient management of the electricity undertaking, and deserves the warmest congratulations of all, consumers and non-consumers alike.—Yours, etc.,

T. PICTON BRADSHAW.

Mount Temple, Clontarf, Dublin,
November 11th, 1926.

BARE KNEES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—I have observed with a great deal of astonishment and, I confess, not a little amusement your report of the Right Rev. Monsignor O'Doherty's pronouncement on Sunday last, in which he condemns, as indecent and unhealthy, a boy's bare knees. I have vivid and very unpleasant memories of the complete lack of comfort of the old button-under-the-knee variety of trousers worn in my early youth. I whole-heartedly applaud the banishment of them, and, indeed, envy the wearers of the new. They are more comfortable, very much smarter and healthier.

Yes, healthier! I think that Monsignor O'Doherty would have considerable difficulty in discovering a single medical man who would agree with him in alleging the contrary. I remember that, during the Holy Year, His Holiness the Pope did not scruple to receive and inspect the members of the Scout pilgrimage to Rome—all with bare knees. This, I think, completely disposes of the suggestion of indecency.—Yours, etc.,

E. NEVILLE HEANEY.

Drominagh, Borrisokane,
November 10th, 1926.

LIVED ON HIS WITS.

FROM OFFICE STOOL TO HIGH SOCIETY.

A debonair youth of 18 years who, springing from humble parentage, posed as a man of wealth, insinuated himself into the circles of high society, and, according to the police, contrived to live upon his wits, had his career checked at St. Alban's Police Court yesterday. He was charged as Ronald Ashley, described as of no fixed abode, and he was sentenced to three months' hard labour.

He appeared on remand charged with obtaining food and lodging to the value of £1 13s. 6d. at the Red Lion Hotel, St. Alban's, and with attempting to commit suicide by taking a quantity of disinfectant which contained 25 per cent. pure carbolic acid.

According to the evidence for the prosecution the youth arrived at the hotel, stating that he was on his way to Yorkshire, and had walked as far as St. Alban's from London for exercise. He stated that his chauffeur was bringing his car to take him on. He spoke of changing a hundred pound note, but when his bill was presented to him he asked the proprietress to summon the police.

Detective-Sergeant Thorpe said that the accused's correct name was Alan Hay Fife Dibb, and he was educated at the Council Schools at Summerbridge, near Harrogate, and at Shipley, Yorkshire. He worked as a shop boy for a year, and was afterwards employed as office boy by a Bradford stockbroker for two years. Then he went to London, and there he posed as a man of wealth, entering and mixing with persons of high social standing, and contracting many debts, some for large amounts. At one hotel he passed himself off as the Hon. Ronald Hamilton, and stated that he was in receipt of £2,000 a year.

"This lad's ideas," declared the officer, "are undoubtedly above his own station in life, and when spoken to he is persistent in stating that when free he intends to return and get among society people. His parents are in humble circumstances, his father being an acetylene welder earning £2 10s. a week."

LECTURE ON CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

A lecture on Christian Science, under the auspices of First Church of Christ, Scientist, Dublin, was given in the Mansion House, Dawson street, yesterday evening, by Mr. Peter V. Ross, C.S.B., member of the Board of Lectureship of the Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.

Mr. Ross, commenting on the modern idea of Deity, said:—There is no escape from the logic of the Christian Science definition of God as Divine Mind, Life, Love, Principle. It is not denied that there appears to be another mind opposed to or at enmity with the Divine Mind, which is God. This baser mentality seems to find expression in a material man, and in a material universe; whereas divine mind finds expression in a spiritual man, and in a spiritual universe.

Concerning Christian Science healing, Mr. Ross said:—Physiology insists that brain and nerves control the body, but the fact remains that the human or mortal mind, though the individual is largely unconscious thereof, assumes to govern the mortal body and direct its functions. We have no difficulty, therefore, in seeing that when the human mind is supposed to be normal the body functions normally and is, as we say, well; but when the mind is distracted by worry or anger, the bodily functions, in belief, are necessarily deranged and there is sickness. How can a mentality clouded by vice, or agitated by malice, give proper direction to the body? Over and over again has it been found in Christian Science practice that when some lurking sin, fear, or hate has been detected in the mind of the patient, and "antidoted" or destroyed by love and truth, his physical suffering so-called has been relieved.

CALF THAT TWISTED HEN'S NECK

When Robert Pepper, Santry, charged at Kilmainham yesterday with stealing a Rhode Island hen, pleaded that calves walked on the hen, and he killed it to put it out of pain, the owner caused some laughter with the reply that, in his opinion, the hen's neck was twisted, and no calf would be able to do that.

Pepper was fined 20s. and ordered to find bail, himself in £5 and one surety of £10, to keep the peace for six months.

There is nothing more exhausting than *ennui*.—Mr. Clement Jeffery.

BIG STOCK SEIZURE.

FIFTY GUARDS ASSIST CLARE SHERIFF.

Some fifty Civic Guards, under Chief Superintendent O'Duffy, assembled in the neighbourhood of Doolin, near Ennistymon, County Clare, on Wednesday evening to assist the Sheriff and his officers in the clearance of lands forming part of the estate of the late Mr. Henry V. McNamara. A large number of stock were found illegally grazing, and were seized on the Sheriff's authority.

The "captures" included about 50 horses, 60 cattle, and 100 sheep. There was also a large number of donkeys on the lands, but they do not seem to have been included in the "round-up."

A crowd assembled to witness the seizure, but there was no obstruction.

This is the fourth seizure made on the property. In 1922 and 1923 the military cleared the lands. The Guards followed suit in 1924, and now the Sheriff has taken up the running.

A thing of beauty is a joy for ever only in warm climates or well-heated rooms.—Mr. J. B. Priestley.

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GOSSIP FROM THE COURSE.

LIVERPOOL CUP PROSPECTS.

HINTS FOR TO-DAY'S BIG RACE.

A HURDLE COMEDY.

DESERT CHIEF FAILS.

FROM OUR TRAVELLING CORRESPONDENT.

LIVERPOOL, Thursday Night.

By common consent it is agreed that we had this afternoon one of the best Seftons in recent years and one well above the average. Therefore, it is pleasant to record the fact that it was won all the way by Grecian Wave, an eight-year-old mare who is Irish-bred, Irish-owned, Irish-trained, and was Irish ridden.

There is a saying that the cards never forgive, and after the lapse of the mare last year, when she went the wrong course when she had this race well in hand, it seemed tempting fate too much to expect her to win after having once dissipated her chances. But she gained a most gallant victory, for Meaney took her to the front the moment the starter released them, and she led all the way to win by thre lengths from Postino, with Ardeen, who profited by her lapse last year to win, a bad third this time.

ALMOST FAULTLESS FENCING.

To have won the Sefton after making all the running is not, of course, an unprecedented thing, but it has not been done in recent years, and the mare gave an altogether delightful performance. She fenced almost faultlessly throughout, and the only mistake I could detect was a slight one at the fence after Valentine's. The mare looked stones heavier than when she ran in this race last season, and her appearance reflected the greatest credit on Morrison, who trains her not far from the Maze racecourse for Mr. W. Hume, of Belfast.

Meaney rode an excellent race on her, for she seemed a very free goer, and he displayed plenty of enterprise and dash. There was only a moment when it seemed possible that she might be beaten, and that was two fences from home, when Postino dashed up to join her. He never headed her, and the next moment she drew away to beat him very comfortably, indeed.

She was tiring towards the finish, and the distance of this race, which is a little under three miles, in heavy going, may be about her limit; but she gained golden opinions, and it was a dazzling victory on the part of an animal—a daughter of Mr. Parkinson's stallion, Prince Hermes—who at one time was so despised that, I am told, she once changed hands to a North of Ireland dealer in the fair of Clonmel for a sum of round about £20.

MISHAPS IN THE SEFTON.

It was a fine day for the race, which was run in a very good light, and the crowd was much bigger than on the previous afternoon. The proportion of runners who came to grief in the Sefton was smaller than usual. Nine of the eighteen runners finished the course, and three, at least, of the others did not fall. Iota, however, broke his neck. Landrock blundered at the first fence, and his jockey, in his frantic effort to keep his seat, drove Estuna out of the course.

Then, at the fence before the water, The Sheriff, who started joint favourite with Desert Chief, was interfered with, and Hogan had almost to pull him up. He went on in pursuit a long way behind, and was finally pulled up later on. Musteline was also pulled up.

For a long way Ghent of Old lay second to Grecian Wave, but at the canal turn it was Postino who was the runner-up. He had worked his way forward from a bad position, and his jockey seemed to come a little too soon to challenge; when he got to her he was beaten. He jumped perfectly, and, as this was his first appearance at Liverpool, he gave a most promising performance. He is only six years old and should have a future before him.

Ardeen for a long way was third, but in the last half-mile he was dragging his hindlegs through his fences. He finished just in front of Ghent of Old, who was fourth, with Hawker fifth, Ben Cruchan sixth. Upton Lad seventh (these last three being all ridden by amateurs), Desert Chief eighth and Master of Arts last.

THE DISAPPOINTMENT.

The disappointment of the race was the running of Desert Chief, who was in the middle of the field most of the time and never could improve. His failure came as a complete surprise to his trainer and jockey, the Leaders, father and son.

The other jumping event, the Abbeystead Three-Year-Old Hurdle, was something of a comedy. Beary rode Glanessa and Duller was on Footer, who was favourite. When Beary went to the front at half-way Duller apparently thought to himself: "This man is a tactician, and I can lose no points to him." So he set off in pursuit. The pair raced neck and neck, and at one time they were a dozen lengths in front of anything else and well at each other's throats.

By the time they were three hurdles from home both their mounts were dead beat, Glanessa being the first to crack. Footer struggled along, but could only finish a moderate third, an unconsidered outsider, Bob Stone, winning by a neck from another outsider in Reckless Gal, with Footer six lengths away.

The best finish of the day was that for the Croxteth Plate, in which Dines, by a very vigorous piece of riding, got through on Lomond's son, Lorient, to win by a neck and a short head from Doorway and Devachon, with old Proconsul another neck away fourth. Davachon ran a good race, and is evidently finding her form again.

Day, who trains Lorient, had another winner in Shoestring, who took the opening race for Lord Sefton. Burnt Sienna, who started a very hot favourite for the Croxteth Plate, was done with a furlong from home, and Lord Derby had two other beaten favourites in Piazzetta, who was second to the plater, Red Ronald, in the Ford Highweight Handicap, and Ripolin, who was beaten by Captain Harry Whitworth's Touch and Go in the Apprentices' Stakes.

THE CUP.

The Liverpool Cup provides the major interest to-morrow. The owner of Winalot has stated that he will not start him if the going is very heavy, but I rather expect to find him in the field, and if he runs he is likely to make a good show, for he is thought to be in just as good form as when he won the Duke of York Handicap. Taylor has sent Sparus as well as Delius, and the former was an easy winner of the Summer Cup here. The stable hope, however, rests mainly with Delius, for whom Elliott will declare 2lb. overweight.

The running of the latter in the Cambridgeshire is not accepted as right. Naldera did not run too badly at Newbury last Saturday, but I imagine they will go rather too fast for her in the straight here. Glasheen will be running her last race here before going to the stud, but I cannot give much chance either to her or to Doushka.

Invermark will be a trifle outclassed, although he ran well here behind Sparus in the summer. Donzelon won this race last year and has less to carry now. If he runs as well as he did at Newbury last Saturday he will be difficult to beat, but he is not a horse that can ever be recommended. Lord Derby's sole representative will be Tara Prince, who has been in Mr. Whitaker's charge for the past fortnight. He is bottom weight, but my reading of his Irish form does not make him out good enough to win in this company.

I expect to see DELIUS win, as Taylor's Cambridgeshire disappointments have done so often in their next races. Donzelon and The Sirdar may be the dangers.

The new steeplechase, the Molyneux Handicap, should be an interesting event. Shaun Or, a useful seven-year-old, who has come on a good deal since he went to Newmarket, is a fine jumper. The Gosling will be in the field, but on none of his form can he be given a chance. Probably the best of the lot is MASTER BILLIE, a most accomplished fencer, who finished sixth in the last Grand National, and I choose him to win. The Witherslack Stakes should be won by JOHN MACNAB, and the Stewards' Plate by DONNINA.

GALTEE MORE.

OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS.

All engagements in Mr. W. Cazalet's name—Mid Kent.

All engagements—Rima.

Staines Steeplechase, Hawthorn Hill—Jump for Joy.

BETTING TAX IN ENGLAND.

ALTERNATIVE METHODS.

MEETING OF RACECOURSE ASSOCIATION.

A meeting of the Racecourse Association was held at Messrs. Pratt and Co.'s offices in London yesterday. Though the subject of the totalisator and pari-mutuel as a possible alternative to the present system of betting was not on the agenda, it was expected that it would be discussed as a consequence of the bookmakers' strike at Windsor, which involved the Executive of that meeting in heavy losses.

The proceedings, which were private, lasted about an hour and a half, and at the close the following statement was issued to the Press:—

"A special committee, representative of the North, Midlands and South, has been set up to study the effect of the betting tax and alternative methods."

Whether the alternative methods referred to include the totalisator and pari-mutuel is not quite clear, but whatever steps may be decided upon ultimately the Jockey Club, as the governing body of the Turf, will have to be consulted, as without its consent the Racecourse Association will be powerless.

HUNTING.

THE CARLOW HOUNDS.

Following on a very successful opening day at Kellistown, these hounds came in for further good sport on Saturday, 6th, at the Lisnavagh fixture. Drawing Lord Rathdonnell's demesne a fox found in the Rebevoir Wood lost no time in leaving. Passing through the gorse covert hounds ran hard in the open over Tobinstown and Rathlyon, and thence on over Butler's Grange at a fine pace into Mr. Fenton's well-known covert, Grange Park. Not dwelling long in covert our fox was soon halloaed away in the direction of Mr. Fenton's house, but a few hundred yards from the covert he got to ground in an open drain. Knocklow, drawn next, was blank, but of a brace or more foxes in Rath Bog, the hunted one, leaving the farther end of the covert, faced the open, as though for Killinure, and a fast 80 minutes ensued. Scent was good, and hounds ran hard up to and over Money Hill and down the other side, across the valley before ascending the rocky slopes of Aghold Hill. Reaching the summit, however, they made a wide ring on the hillside before a left-handed turn brought us back in the direction we had come. Retracing his steps it was a very tired fox that managed to slip into a hole in the rocks on the top of Aghold in sight of hounds. This ended a very fast and enjoyable hunt.

HUNTING APPOINTMENTS.

THE WARD UNION.

November.	Meet.	Hour.
Saturday, 13th	Kilrue	1.30

THE KILDARE.

Saturday, 13th	Courtown Gate	11. 0

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To-day	Laracor	11. 0

HUNT CARDS.

LOUTH HOUNDS.—Owing to the death of Mr. McKeever, the meet to-morrow (Saturday) is cancelled.

CARLOW HOUNDS.—November—Tuesday, 16th Bagenalstown; Saturday, 20th, Rathmore Park; Tuesday, 23rd, Castlerоe Cross Roads; Saturday, 27th, Ballykealey. 11 o'clock.

HILLSIDE HARRIERS.—To-morrow, Crumlin Cross. 2 o'clock.

BRAY HARRIERS.—November—Saturday, 13th, Shankill, 2 o'clock; Wednesday, 17th, Calary, 1.30 o'clock.

HUNTING.—Reports from the various packs and a list of appointments appear each Saturday in *The Irish Field*. On sale at all Newsagents. Price 2d. By Post, 6/6 half-yearly. Head Office—11 D'Olier street, Dublin.—(Advt.)

BILLIARDS.

THE AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP.

Eighty-one entries have been accepted by the Control Council of the Billiards Association for the Amateur Championship. The London qualifying competition will be played at Burroughes' Hall, London, commencing November 25, the heats being 1,000 up, and the final 2,000 up. Last year's winner, J. Earlam, of Runcorn, is now a professional.

NEWMAN v. CARPENTER.

Carpenter, who receives 5,000 in 18,000, had rather the best of matters in yesterday afternoon's session at Thurston's, London, against Newman, who totalled 523, as against the Welshman's 660. Carpenter took his unfinished break to 147, after which Newman established a lead of about 900, his chief essay being 217. After that, however, the champion's best runs were 41, 34 and 155, while before the end of the session Carpenter put up 661, 47, 103, 177 and 51 (unfinished). Interval scores:—Newman, 13,973; Carpenter (rec. 5,000) (in play), 13,382.

At night Newman scored 655, as against Carpenter's 514. Newman's breaks included 222, 131, and 229; while Carpenter had breaks of 195 and 344 unfinished. Closing scores:—Newman, 14,628; Carpenter (rec. 5,000) (in play), 13,896.

SMITH v. EARLAM.

At the close of the afternoon session in the 20,000 match between Smith and Earlam at Newcastle yesterday, the former was within 31 points of his opponent. Smith made a fine break early in the session of 390, and later went to his points with an unfinished 178. Earlam could not get going, and only totalled 175. Interval scores:—Earlam (rec. 10,000), 15,866; Smith (in play), 15,835.

Smith had little difficulty in taking the lead at night, when he made breaks of 211, 134, 221, 106, 113 and 177. Earlam's best effort was 33. Closing scores:—Smith (in play), 16,666; Earlam (rec. 10,000), 16,051.

ADD GOLF

FORM HORSES.

LIVERPOOL.

1.15—John McNab.	2.50—Winalot (nap).
1.45—Osaka filly.	3.20—Harpist.
2.15—Shaun Or.	3.50—Bamboula.

Eclipse.

SPECIAL SELECTIONS FOR TO-DAY.

Daily Express:—Double — Donzelon and Flashing Light. Safety bet—Donzelon (each way).

Daily Mirror:—Double — Harpist (nap) and Pentland.

Daily Sketch:—Double—The Sirdar and Morny.

Westminster Gazette:—To-day's best — Delius. Double—John McNab and Delius.

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ENTRIES FOR DERBY AND OAKS.

Three hundred and fifty entries have been made for the Derby of 1928. His Majesty has nominated two—Savonarola, a colt by Friar Marcus out of Yolande, and Gauntlet, a colt by Swynford out of Neuve Chapelle. The largest subscriber is the Aga Khan, who has entered nineteen colts. Next comes Sir Mortimer Davis, with an entry of ten French-bred colts. French nominations, indeed, are numerous, Mr. A. K. Macomber being responsible for eight. Other large subscribers are Sir Abe Bailey with nine, Mr. James A. de Rothschild nine, Lord Glanely and Mr. J. B. Joel eight each, and Lord Astor six. Only six fillies have been entered.

The nominations for the Oaks number 305. His Majesty has entered Scuttle, by Captain Cuttle out of Stained Glass. The largest subscriber is Mr. J. B. Joel, with an entry of nine.

SPORTING GOSSIP.

Beer as a Bonus.

The bonus system in English and Scottish League Soccer football has often led to grave abuses and given rise to much comment of an adverse nature. But the giving of a bonus to a player was a system which existed more than half a century ago. The annals of a Sheffield club show that in the season 1871-72 the committee decided to suspend the beer allowance which had always been given, the winning team receiving a gallon, and the losers half that quantity.

Portmarnock Club and the "Open."

According to a Belfast paper, the proposal to establish an "Irish Open Golf Championship," in addition to the championships which are at present organised by the Golfing Union of Ireland, is being fathered by the Leinster and Connaught branches of the Union. The same writer adds that the Portmarnock Club is providing the money for the prize fund (£500), and that the championship, if approved of by the Central Council, is to be played at Portmarnock. The latter portion of the statement may be based on facts; but our golfing correspondent, who would likely have heard of it if such a proposition had been made by the club, knows nothing regarding the offer.

Lawn Tennis "Hopes."

The supremacy of France in the lawn tennis world, viewed on the results of the past season, is unchallenged and, moreover, seems unlikely to meet any serious challenge for some years to come. In addition to the Lacoste-Borotra-Brugnon-Cochet quartette, she possesses a number of younger players of more than average promise. The team which played in Dublin last summer included one of this younger band, R. de Buzelet, Borotra's younger brother, Boussus, who partnered Lacoste in the recent covered courts tournament at Paris, and D. Laurent, who met J. Borotra in the final of the singles and won the first four games of the opening set, are mentioned as coming players.

Winter Rowing.

Up to a few years ago winter rowing for the tideway clubs on the Thames—London, Thames, Vesta, etc.—was practically nonexistent. Then came the popular coach, Mr. Steve Fairbairn, and his success with the Thames R.C. eight in the Grand at Henley in 1923 proved an inspiration. The keen spirits now row all the year round, and the races in December—Putney to Mortlake—are a feature of the season. Entries for next month's racing are expected to total 20.

Will R. M. Byers be "Capped"?

R. M. Byers, who so narrowly missed getting his Rugby "Blue" for Oxford last season, learned his Rugby at Campbell College, Belfast, and played on the School XV. for four years. He played on the Ulster Schools Inter-provincial side against Leinster for two seasons, and is a member of the North of Ireland Club, for whom he has played wing three-quarter on several occasions. He played in the Ulster Senior Trial match last season, and was picked for the final Irish Trial, but owing to injuries was unable to accept the invitation. He is now well in the running for his "Blue," and has a chance of getting capped for Ireland before the close of the season. Very fast and a strong tackler, Byers is almost certain to wear a green cap before his football days are over. He is also a member of Richmond, for which club he has played occasionally.

Footballers for Sale.

With the approach of the English Cup-tie season several of the leading clubs are on the look out for players to strengthen their teams. One of the best centres "on the market" is Menlove, who went from Crystal Palace to Sheffield United, and is presently scoring freely for Boston. The United, however, have placed the modest sum of £1,000 on his head. An Aberdeen football official was asked recently if his club believed in grandiose transfer fees. "We believe in accepting them," was the reply of the Scot.

I.R.F. Union's New President.

George A. Hamlet, who, at the recent meeting of the Irish Rugby Football Union, was elected President for the season 1926-7, was one of the best forwards who ever played for Ireland. A product of Wesley College, Hamlet played for his school team for several seasons, and while still on the School XV. played in senior football for Old Wesley. He was first capped in the season 1902-3 against England, and from that up to the season 1910-11 represented Ireland in all her international engagements. The last season Hamlet played he was captain of the Irish team, and under his able leadership Ireland went very near to achieving the highest honours, for, having beaten England and Scotland, they went under to Wales at Cardiff, before decisively defeating France at Cork.

In all, Hamlet has been capped on thirty occasions, which is a record for any Irish player, Louis Magee, the famous half-back, coming next. Strange to say, throughout that long period Hamlet never scored for Ireland, though in his last match, that against France at Cork, he was practically presented with a try on the line, but knocked on before he could secure the touch. Hamlet, who holds an important position in the Great Southern Railway Company, is a golfer of no mean ability, and he has won several cups and medals at the Royal and Ancient game.

One Thousand Athletes Compete.

A contest, remarkable for the numbers which took part in it, was held yesterday as an Armistice Day celebration between the Racing Club de Paris and the Stade. Each club was represented by eight Rugby XV.'s, fifteen Association teams, seven hockey XI.'s, half-a-dozen ladies' hockey and basket-ball teams, five net-ball teams, and twenty cross-country runners—a total of over one thousand athletes.

A Celtic Game.

With so much interest being taken in the project to establish a public golf course in the Phœnix Park, Dublin, it is timely to recall that as far back as 1885 the late Mr. John Lumsden, father of Sir John Lumsden, M.D., founded a golf club, which had its course close to the site suggested for the public course on the Fifteen Acres. It was named the County Dublin Golf Club; but after a couple of years the club moved to Sutton, and thence to Dollymount, eventually becoming one of the most important golf clubs in the country—the Royal and Ancient of Ireland, in fact.

On the membership roll of Royal Dublin Club were Lord Lieutenants, Chief Secretaries, Lord Chancellors, High Court Judges, King's Counsel, Barristers, and Solicitors, and men who achieved eminence in the learned professions, art, industry, and commerce.

We are, however, living in changed times. Golf in these days was a luxury; to-day it provides health and recreation for thousands. It is also a "democratic" game, and, as Mr. J. J. Walsh, Minister for Posts and Telegraphs, once remarked, "a grand old Celtic game," while one of the keenest golfers in the Howth Club is Mr. Cormac Walsh, President of the Gaelic League, who, responding to a toast at the recent club dinner, delivered an able speech in Irish.

Another Careless Caddie.

There was really nothing extraordinary about an incident which occurred yesterday during a match in the Croydon and District alliance foursomes at Roehampton. It was simply another instance of the carelessness of caddies. H. E. L. Francis, the Shooters Hill amateur, was putting for a 2 at the 10th, while the caddie of his side held the flag. The caddie was unable to remove the flag stick from the hole as the ball rolled in, and as the ball struck the pole the Shooters Hill pair lost the hole. The semi-final will be played next Thursday, when Shooters Hill meet Foxgrove, Coombe Hill opposing Fulwell.

CLOSE FINISHES AT LIVERPOOL.

AN OUTSIDER'S HURDLE RACE.

1.15—PALATINE SELLING PLATE of 200 sovs. Two years old. 5 f.

Lord Sefton's ch. c. SHOESTRING, by Chaucer—Vanessa, 8-5 ....J. Childs 1
Mr. J. T. Downing's DOUBLE SHIELD, 7-11 W. Nevett 2
Mrs. S. Whitburn's FORTITUDE, 8-5 S. Donoghue 3

Also ran—Scooter colt (F. Fox), Fortune of War (M. Beary), Sally Brown (H. Jelliss), The Witch III. (H. Wragg), Foch (D. Morris). Off 1.18. (Winner trained by R. Day.)

Betting—"Sporting Life"—11 to 8 agst. SHOESTRING, 9 to 4 Scooter colt, 7 to 1 Double Shield, 8 to 1 Fortitude, 100 to 8 any other. "Sporting Chronicle"—Same.

Won by a neck; three lengths. Scooter colt was fourth, and Foch last.

The winner was sold to Mr. R. Day for 400 guineas.

1.45—CROXTETH PLATE (handicap) of 500 sovs. Second 30 sovs., third 15 sovs. 5 f.

Sir A. Bailey's br. c. LORIENT, by Lomond—Annie Laurie, 3, 7-3 ....J. Dines 1
Mrs. E. M. Rayner's DOORWAY, 4, 8-0 R. Perryman 2
Mr. H. Leader's DEVACHON, 3, 9-0 J. Leach 3

Also ran—Burnt Sienna (T. Weston), Mirawala (C. Smirke), San Diago (H. Jelliss), Silvretta (J. Nolan), Lord Wembley (H. Leach), Irish Note (F. Fox), Grandflight (S. Donoghue), Bewitched (J. Marshall), Knocklong Boy (J. Doyle), Proconsul (A. Berry), Iceberg (W. Alford), Hampstead (O. Bush). Off 1.53. (Winner trained by R. Day.)

Betting—"Sporting Life"—7 to 4 agst. Burnt Sienna, 7 to 1 each Devachon and Mirawala, 8 to 1 each LORIENT and Bewitched, 10 to 1 each Lord Wembley and Doorway, 100 to 8 each Proconsul, Irish Note, and Knocklong Boy; 20 to 1 any other. "Sporting Chronicle"—Same.

Won by a neck; a short head. Proconsul was fourth, and Mirawala last.

2.15—GRAND SEFTON STEEPLECHASE (handicap) of 1,500 sovs. Second 150 sovs., third 70 sovs. 2 m. 7½ f.

Mr. W. Hume's b. m. GRECIAN WAVE, by Prince Hermes—Waveless, a, 11-9 J. Meaney 1
Mr. C. H. Horrell's POSTINO, 6, 11-12 G. Calder 2
Sir K. Fraser's ARDEEN, a, 12-2......L. Rees 3
Mr. H. F. Sturdy's Desert Chief, 6, 12-7 T. Leader 0
Capt. A. E. Grant's Hawker, a, 11-11......Owner 0
Mr. W. H. Whitbread's Ben Cruchan, a, 11-9 Owner 0
Mr. W. Parsonage's The Sheriff, a, 11-9 J. Hogan 0
Major T. H. Sebag-Montefiore's Ghent of Old, a, 11-5 ....Major Cavenagh 0
Mr. M. D. Blair's Master of Arts, a, 10-13 F. Morgan 0
Capt. R. E. Sassoon's Ballystockart, a, 10-13 Livesey 0
Mr. R. Parker's Estuna, a, 10-13...J. Hamey 0
Lord Stanley's Musteline, 5, 10-12 Mr. S. Dennis 0
Mr. G. S. L. Whitelaw's Iota, a, 10-11 R. Pulford 0
Col. R. W. Tweedie's Ruddyman, a, 10-9 R. Lyall 0
Mr. J. C. Paterson's Upton Lad, a, 10-9 Mr. Dutton 0
Mr. S. Moore's Landrock, a, 10-9.........W. Stott 0
Lord Wavertree's All White, a, 10-9...J. Mason 0
Capt. B. Bibby's Fassaroe, 6, 10-9......T. Kelly 0
Off 2.18.

(Winner trained by J. B. Morrison at Dunmurry, County Antrim.)

Betting—"Sporting Life"—5 to 1 each agst. Desert Chief and The Sheriff, 8 to 1 each GRECIAN WAVE, Ghent of Old, and Ardeen; 10 to 1 each Ballystockart and Estuna, 100 to 7 any other. "Sporting Chronicle"—Same.

Landrock blundered at the second fence, and caused Estuna to run out. Ruddyman fell at the next. At the fourth fence Grecian Wave, who was leading, blundered and The Sheriff nearly came down. Passing the stands Grecian Wave was followed by All White, Ardeen, Postino, Musteline, Ghent of Old, Fassaro, Iota, Ballystockart, and Upton Lad, with Ben Cruchan last, except The Sheriff, who was tailed off. Going into the country a loose horse interfered with Landrock, who refused, and shortly afterwards Ghent of Old took second place. The leading pair were twenty lengths clear at half-way. Six furlongs from home Postino became third, followed by Ardeen, and at this point Musteline was pulled up. Postino drew up to Grecian Wave three fences from home, where Ghent of Old weakened. Postino and Grecian Wave jumped the remaining two fences side by side, but the last-named drew ahead on the flat to win by three lengths; a bad third. Ghent of Old was fourth, Hawker fifth, Ben Cruchan sixth, Desert Chief seventh, Upton Lad eighth, and Master of Arts last. Time—6 mins. 14 2-5 secs.

2.45—ABBEYSTEAD HURDLE RACE of 250 sovs. Three years old. Second 20 sovs., third 10 sovs. 1½ m.

Mrs. N. Roberts's b. g. BOB STONE, by Golden Orb—Falling Star, 11-0 ....J. Hamey 1
Mr. E. G. de Mestre's RECKLESS GAL, 11-0 A. Waudby 2
Mr. W. H. Savill's FOOTER, 11-0 ......G. Duller 3

Also ran—Glanessa (M. Beary), Mister Moon (T. Leader), Indian Corn (R. Dick), Recollection (J. Hogan), Bel Respero (J. McDonald), Berryboy (G. Pellerin), White Flag (W. Parvin). Off 2.46.

(Winner trained by Roberts.)

Betting—"Sporting Life"—11 to 10 agst. Footer, 5 to 2 Glanessa, 6 to 1 Berryboy, 8 to 1 Bel Respero, 100 to 6 BOB STONE or any other. "Sporting Chronicle"—Same.

Won by a neck; six lengths. Berryboy was fourth and Indian Corn last.

3.15—FORD HIGH-WEIGHT HANDICAP PLATE of 200 sovs. Second 10 sovs. 1 m. 5 f.

Mrs. M. G. A. Davis's br. g. RED RONALD, by Black Jester—Dark Gold, a, 7-12 H. Graves 1
Lord Derby's PIAZZETTA, 3, 8-5 ...T. Weston 2
Lord Lonsdale's NEPTUNE'S DAUGHTER, 3, 7-4 ....J. Dines 3

Also ran—Sopron (R. Perryman), Ribblesdale (G. Walsh), Inchrory (C. Elliott), Penmore (S. Donoghue), Meclare (F. Fox), Belah (J. Caldwell), Turnips (J. Sirett), Mohican (J. Nolan). Off 3.15.

(Winner trained by J. Scott.)

Betting—"Sporting Life"—3 to 1 agst. Piazzetta, 4 to 1 Meclare, 6 to 1 Sopron, 7 to 1 Inchrory, 8 to 1 Neptune's Daughter, 100 to 8 Ribblesdale, 100 to 6 RED RONALD or any other. "Sporting Chronicle"—Same.

Won by half a length; three lengths. Sopron was fourth and Ribblesdale last.

3.45—WESTMORLAND APPRENTICE PLATE of 150 sovs. Second 10 sovs. 1 m.

Captain H. Whitworth's ch. c. TOUCH AND GO, by Sunstar—Lady Villein, 3, 6-8 ...L. Field 1
Lord Derby's RIPOLIN, 3, 6-4 ......W. Freeman 2
Sir C. Hyde's DAMOZEL, 3, 6-4 ....F. Sharpe 3

Also ran—Seeker (D. Jones), Bellicent (J. Read), Poet (P. Payne), Bold Buccaneer (F. Braithwaite), The Beetle (J. Byson), Newt (L. Read). Off 3.47.

(Winner trained by Boyd-Rochfort.)

Betting—"Sporting Life"—Evens Ripolin, 6 to 1 TOUCH AND GO, 7 to 1 Poet, 8 to 1 each Bellicent and Damozel, 10 to 1 Bold Buccaneer, 100 to 7 any other. "Sporting Chronicle"—Same.

Won by four lengths; three lengths. Newt was fourth and Seeker last.

CURRAGH TRAINING NOTES.

THE CURRAGH, Thursday.

A fine morning.

BEHAN'S Fair Head was sent five furlongs.

BRABAZON'S Bachelor's Hair travelled a mile and a half at a good pace; Lord Burdon, Glenanaar and Ballyfinaghy were usefully employed.

COOMBS'S Saorstat went seven furlongs at a good pace; Beisay Belle, Carlovia and others of the team were usefully employed.

DAWSON'S Ardsallagh, Bachelor's Fare and Bachelor's Hobby covered six furlongs at a nice pace.

DOYLE'S Scarlet Stripes, Chesmint, Scarlet Satin, Andy and Ezra cantered.

FETHERSTONHAUGH'S Mallow Bridge, Shadza, Portland, Game Hen and Tinto covered six furlongs.

FORDRED'S Amatoi and Louvain were sent six furlongs; Coinage, Caustic, No Deceit, Molloy, Phaloi and Geraint cantered.

GLEESON'S Carrif, Sunnyville, Sunnymova, Brighter Limerick and others of the team were usefully employed.

HUNTER'S Led Leg, Timbucktoo, Starbeck and Nell Gwynne covered five furlongs.

HARTIGAN'S New Barn, Duneen, Shrewd King, Himera and others of the team had healthy exercise.

MACAULAY'S The Dole, Puff Puff, and Quatre Bras went five furlongs usefully.

PERRY'S Silvertown cantered six furlongs; Missed the Train, Blue Look Out, Liam Orb and others had healthy exercise.

PARKINSON'S Athshannon, Athgarret, Eloquent, Battler, Cartoon, Average, Common Good and others had bouts of healthy exercise.

ROGERS' Ethrington, Ragusa and Sparsholt cantered six furlongs; Yae, Dame Rumour, Free from Care and the two-year-olds had healthy exercise.

STAUNTON'S Newtown Park galloped a mile and a half.

The *Racing Calendar* says:—The Stewards of the Jockey Club have received a report from the Stewards of the National Hunt Committee, that Joseph Kay has been warned off all courses where their rules are in force, and have extended the sentence to all meetings under the Rules of Racing.

LIVERPOOL.

PROBABLE RUNNERS AND BETTING.

TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS.

Witherslack Stakes—**Happy Life.**
Downe Nursery—**Roman Empire.**
Molyneux Steeplechase—**Winnall.**
Autumn Cup—**Winalot.***
Stewards' Plate—**Ribstone.**
Duchy Stakes—**Bamboula.**

DOUBLE—**Winalot** and **Ribstone.**

1.15—WITHERSLACK STAKES (a nursery handicap), a sweepstakes of 5 sovs. each, or 2 sovs. ft., with 200 sovs. added. Second receives 20 sovs. 1 m. st. lb.

BRISENA (Mr. S. Wootton) ....Owner 9 0
CYAKI (Lord Grimthorpe) ....Bazley 8 13
PLUMBAGO (Mr. W. Gresson) (10lb. ex.) Rimell 8 8
BEAU DE GHENT (Mr. D. M. Gant) L. Hammond 8 7
ACIER (Mr. J. H. Ulyatt) ....Hamshaw 8 5
HAPPY LIFE (Mr. A. McKinlay) ......Elsey 8 5
JOHN MACNAB (Sir H. Meux) ......Persse 8 5
LANSON (Mr. D. Goold) ....R. J. Colling 8 5
MORNY (Mr. S. W. Beer) ....H. Leader 8 5
PALE HANDS (Mr. Sol Joel) ....Earl 8 5
BOLD LILY F., by Russley (Mr. M. D. Peacock) ....Owner 8 1
CONCA D'ORO (Mr. A. Joynson) B. Jarvis 8 1
SOCCER (Mr. W. H. Savill) ...F. Hartigan 8 1
VALLAURIS (10lb. ex.) (Lord Derby) Lambton 8 0
DOVEDALE (Sir H. Meux) ....Persse 7 12
NILOAK (Mr. J. Sharples) (10lb. ex.) Cundell 7 11
THALASSA (Mr. A. de Rothschild) Watson 7 11
SCARLET MARTAGON F., by Gainsborough (Mr W. M. Singer) ...Davies-Scourfield 7 11
BY-WORD (Mr. R. Day) ....Owner 7 11
KANAKA (Lord Queenborough) B.-Rochfort 7 7
ALESSANDO (Mr. A. D.-Pennant) ...Hogg 7 5
BATTALION (Mr. G. Hartigan) M. Hartigan 7 5
CHAPATTI (Sir V. Sassoon) ......Crawford 7 5
FILIAE GENER (Mr. R. Day) ......Owner 7 5
JACOB (Mrs. Arthur James) ....Lambton 7 5
FAIR WEATHER JACK (Mr. J. Harvie) Wilmot 7 4
ROYAL GEM (Mr. T. Walls) ....Owner 7 4
BELLAX (Mrs. S. Whitburn) ....Cottrill 7 0
REJAF (Mrs. Arthur James) ....Lambton 7 0
NEWSTEAD (Mr. C. R. Taylor) F. Leader 6 9

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.		Betting Forecast.
450	BRISENA	Smirke	10/1
	CYAKI	J. Taylor	100/8
205	MORNY	J. Leach	6/1
311	HAPPY LIFE	A. Balding	7/1
044	JOHN McNAB	H. Beasley	5/2
010	CONCA DORO	Jelliss	2/1
084	THALASSA	Perryman	100/8
000	SCARLET MARTAGON FILLY	S. Donoghue	100/8
080	CHAPATTI	J. Doyle	9/2
000	JACOB	Weston	10/1
000	FAIR WEATHER JACK	G. Barber	100/8
430	ROYAL GEM	Caldwell	100/8
000	BELLAX	Berry	10/1
000	NEWSTEAD	J. Read	8/1

1.45—DOWNE NURSERY HANDICAP PLATE of 250 sovs. Second receives 20 sovs. Two-year-olds. 6 f. st. lb.

NOBLE BOY (Mr. C. Cowie) ....Private 9 0
ROMAN EMPIRE (Mr. H. L. Cottrill) Owner 8 6
IN TUNE (Mr. H. L. Cottrill)......Owner 8 1
SPIRAMONDE (Maj. J. B. Walker) Whitaker 7 12
TAG END (Mr. H. I. Usher)........Owner 7 12
FIGLIASTRA (Mrs. A. James)...Lambton 7 12
CHESTNUT SUNDAY C., by Spearmint (Mr. H. Leader) ....Owner 7 10
CYCLAS (Lord H. de Walden)...D. Waugh 7 9
DELTOS (Sir H. Cunliffe-Owen)......O. Bell 7 9
OSAKA F., by Phalaris (Mr. W. M. G. Singer) ....Taylor 7 9
SUMMER SEA C., by Lemberg (Ld. Ellesmere) ....Pickering 7 9
HAPPY LIFE (Mr. A. E. McKinlay)...Elsey 7 8
FIRST OFFENCE (12lb. ex.) (Mrs. Doyle) Whitaker 7 8
MERTOY C., by Tredennis (Mr. A. B. Walker) ....Persse 7 6
WHITE MAIZE (Mr. H. R. Lawrence) Cundell 7 6
MARY STARR (Sir A. Bailey)......R. Day 7 5
QUEEN'S BOWER (Mr. J. Brown)...Hogg 7 5
CONCA D'ORO (Mr. A. G. Joynson) B. Jarvis 7 5
EMPIRE DAY (Mr. D. Crossman)......Pope 7 5
CARTE (Mr. H. Shaw) .... Moreton 7 3
DUXFORD F., by Pelops (Mr. C. Wadia) Barling 7 3
PROMPTITUDE (Mr. J. D. Robertson) Rimell 7 3
WINMORE (Mrs. J. Shepherd) ... F. Leader 7 2
ROYAL AMBASSADOR (Mr. C. A. Cowie) Private 7 0
SONNY (Mrs. Hartigan) ...... M. Hartigan 7 0
PRECIOUS GEM (Mr. Murphy) F. Hartigan 6 13
GAY CORINTHIAN (Mr. J. E. Rowson) Hogg 6 13
KENTISH BELLE (Mrs. G. Drummond) O. Bell 6 13
ORBED (Mr. A. E. McKinlay).........Elsey 6 11
HAND IN GLOVE (Mr. A. P. Curzon-Howe) ....L. Hammond 6 9

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.		Betting Forecast.
034	ROMAN EMPIRE	Carslake	7/2
420	SPIRAMONDE	Burns	5/2
312	TAG END	James	6/1
400	CHESTNUT SUNDAY COLT	Lane	10/1
033	CYCLAS	Weston	10/1
000	DELTOS	H. Leach	10/1
080	OSAKA FILLY	S. Donoghue	4/1
340	SUMMER SEA COLT	Walsh	8/1
311	HAPPY LIFE	D. Morris	100/8
000	MERTOY COLT	F. Fox	7/1
230	QUEEN'S BOWER	C. Richards	100/8
010	CONCA DORO	Baines	100/8
000	CARTE	Dines	8/1
300	DUXFORD	F. Caldwell	100/8
300	PROMPTITUDE	S. Wragg	100/8
000	WINMORE	Sirett	10/1
231	ROYAL AMBASSADOR	Alford	10/1

2.15—MOLYNEUX STEEPLECHASE (handicap) of 500 sovs. Second receives 50 sovs., third 25 sovs. 2½ m. Age st. lb.

RUDDYGLOW (Mr. W. Filmer-Sankey) Barthropp a 12 7
WINNALL (10lb. ex.) (Mr. H. Liddell) Woodland a 12 5
CLASHING ARMS (Col. W. S. Anthony) Hastings a 11 12
GRECIAN WAVE (10lb. ex.) (Mr. W. Hume) J. B. Morrison a 11 11
KNIGHT OF THE WILDERNESS (Mr. G. White) ....Cunningham 6 11 6
DARRACQ (Mr. C. Schwartz)...H. Leader a 11 3
THE SHERIFF (Mr. W. Parsonage) Whitaker a 11 2
ROYAL TOY (Mrs. Sanday)......Sanday a 10 9
GROUND SCOUT (Mrs. Crichton) H. A. Brown a 10 9
SCOTTY RIG (5lb. ex.) (Maj. W. Neilson) ....F. Armstrong 6 10 9
JARGOON (Mr. T. Richardson) Barthropp a 10 8
THE GOSLING (Ld. Grimthorpe) Bazley 6 10 8
SHAUN OR (Mr. E. L. Lloyd) T. Leader a 10 7
MISS CAUBEEN (Mr. W. Philip) Philip, jun. a 10 7
HORNET'S PRIDE (Lord Allendale) R. Gordon a 10 6
KAREL (Mrs. L. M. Steedman)...Willett a 10 6
PRIORITY (Mr. Douglas Clarke)...Gore a 10 6
MASTER BILLIE (Mr. W. Parsonage) Whitaker a 10 5
RED BEE (Maj. H. Wernher) Hastings a 10 5
ROCKMEADOW (Mr. D. Stewart) Alexander a 10 4
HERBERT'S CHOICE (Mr. J. G. Thomson) ....F. A. Brown 5 10 4
MUSTELINE (Lord Stanley) Walter Nightingall 5 10 4
DE COMBAT (Mr. C. Mullholland) Owner a 10 2
IOTA (Mr. G. S. L. Whitelaw)...Owner a 10 2
MR. MADCAP (Mrs. C. Jones)...J. Scott a 10 2
ALL WHITE (Lord Wavertree) Fergusson a 10 0
APPLE PIE (Sir E. Wills) De Winton a 10 0
PHIBISHER (Mr. Harper) ...... Owner 5 10 0
EASTER HERO (Mr. F. Barbour) Bickley 6 10 0
TIPPERARY TIM (Mr. Kenyon) J. Dodd a 10 0

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.		Betting Forecast.
041	RUDDYGLOW	Filmer Sankey	10/1
051	WINNALL	Major Cavenagh	7/2
0-3	THE GOSLING	Mr. S. Dennis	10/1
111	SHAUN OR	T. Leader	3/1
113	HORNET'S PRIDE	R. Gordon	100/8
002	KAREL	Stott	100/8
100	MASTER BILLY	J. Hogan	5/1
300	RED BEE	F. Gurney	7/1
233	ROCK MEADOW	Mr. Stewart	100/8
040	HERBERT'S CHOICE	Foster	8/1
23	IOTA	T. Kelly	100/8
142	ALL WHITE	Mason	100/8

2.50—LIVERPOOL AUTUMN CUP (handicap) of 2,000 sovs. (50 sovs. being in plate or specie, at the option of the winner.) Second receives 120 sovs. and third 50 sovs. 1 m. 2 f. 70 yds. Age st. lb.

WINALOT (Mr. J. Shepherd) F. Leader 5 9 0
SPARUS (Mr. W. M. G. Singer) Taylor 4 8 11
THE SIRDAR (Mr. A. K. Macomber) S. Darling 4 8 10
HIGHBROW (10lb. ex.) (Lord Derby) Lambton a 8 9
NALDERA (Mr. H. Shaw)......Moreton 4 8 2
GREEN FIRE (Mr. Sol Joel)..........Earl 5 8 1
DUMAS (Mr. George Hardy)......Hogg 6 8 0
DELIUS (Mr. R. Walker)..........Taylor 3 7 12
GLASHEEN (Lt.-Col. R. B. Charteris) Boyd-Rochfort 3 7 11
DOUSHKA (Lord Carnarvon) R. Dawson 3 7 10
POLISH PATRIOT (Mrs. Frame) Killalee 6 7 7
CLONESPOE (Mr. E. N. Lyons) J. Nightingall 6 7 5
SIR KENNETH (Sir A. Bailey)...R. Day 4 7 5
INVERMARK (Mr. T. Richards) Walter Nightingall 5 7 4
RAINBOW BRIDGE (Ld. Derby) Lambton 3 7 3
GLEN ALBYN (Mr. A. Hood)...Peacock 3 7 3
FANFARE (Ld. Woolavington) F. Darling 3 7 2
DONZELON (Sir H. Meux)......Persse 5 7 2
TARA PRINCE (Lord Derby) Whitaker 4 7 0

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.		Betting Forecast.
421	WINALOT	Perryman	5/1
113	SPARUS	S. Donoghue	7/2
330	THE SIRDAR	H. Beasley	7/1
404	NALDERA	Dempsey	8/1
202	DUMAS	Brennan	100/8
214	DELIUS	Elliott	3/1
122	GLASHEEN	Marshall	100/8
214	DOUSHKA	Fox	10/1
410	POLISH PATRIOT	Sirett	100/6
020	CLONESPOE	Caldwell	100/6
000	INVERMARK	Dines	100/6
100	GLEN ALBYN	D. Morris	100/6
002	DONZELON	Weston	7/2
	TARA PRINCE	Burns	10/1

3.20—STEWARDS' PLATE (handicap) of 300 sovs. Second receives 20 sovs. 5 f. Age st. lb.

HARPIST (Col. A. Jenkins) F. Hartigan 5 9 0
VALDORE (Lord Allendale)...B. Jarvis 3 8 11
DODDER (Mr. Sol Joel) ....Earl 3 8 5
JESSEL (Mr. H. L. Cottrill) ......Owner 3 8 4
FRANCIS JOSEPH (Mr. M. Field) Boyd-Rochfort 3 8 1
ORISON (Ld. H. de Walden) D. Waugh 3 8 1
DONNINA (Lord D'Abernon) Lambton 3 8 0
BALDERSTON (Lt.-Col. T. Carthew) Wootton 5 7 13
BUCK AWAY (Mr. A. Buston) W. Waugh 3 7 12
RIBSTONE (Lord Derby)......Lambton 3 7 12
THISTLE BUD (Sir A. Bailey)...R. Day 3 7 10
ASSAM (Mrs. T. Carthew)......Wootton 4 7 9
RIPOLIN (Lord Derby) ......Lambton 3 7 9
POOR SCATS (Mrs. S. Whitburn) Cottrill 4 7 8
ASTROLOGER (Maj. McCalmont) Persse 3 7 7
CHARMANT (Mr. Redmond) H. Leader 3 7 6
JOHN DENIS (Mr. H. Steel) Whitaker 5 7 6
SWEET WHISPER (Mr. Shaw) Moreton 3 7 5
NILOAK (Mr. J. W. Sharples) Cundell 5 7 1
NIL SIMILE (Mr. A. E. McKinlay) Elsey 3 7 0
OPEN PROSPECT (Sir A. Bailey) R. Day 4 7 0
YUKON (Mr. E. Krohn)............Ireland 5 7 0
SATAN BEY (Mr. Connor) G. Armstrong 4 6 13
RUHR (Mr. J. T. Downing) M. Vasey 4 6 13
JUNE CLOVER (Mr. H. C. Miller) Dale 3 6 12
INDUS (Mr. Reid Walker) G. L. Ward 3 6 11
BEL RESPERO (Mr. H. Leader) Owner 3 6 10
LOWTHORPE (Col. Lundgren) Persse 3 6 7
WORLD OF ROSES (Mr. W. Webster) McCormack 3 6 5

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300	HARPIST	Winter	9/1
020	VALDORE	Jelliss	10/1
010	DODDER	Wragg	9/1
000	FRANCIS JOSEPH	S. Donoghue	6/1
101	DONNINA	Freeman	9/1
123	RIBSTONE	Weston	7/2
135	BALDERSTON	Smirke	3/1
300	BUCK AWAY	Beary	100/6
	INDUS	Turtle	100/6
	BEL RESPERO	Read	100/6
	LOWTHORP	Berry	100/6
040	POOR SCATS	Fox	100/8
012	CHARMANT	H. Leach	8/1
050	SWEET WHISPER	Alford	100/8
100	NIL SIMILE	Duckenfield	10/1
033	OPEN PROSPECT	Dines	7/1
003	YUKON	Sirett	100/6
240	SATAN BEY	Connor	100/6
000	RUHR	D. Morris	100/6
104	JUNE CLOVER	Field	100/8

3.50—DUCHY STAKES of 5 sovs. each, with 150 sovs. added. 1 m. 5 f. Age st. lb.

ST. MARY'S KIRK (Sir H. Meux) Persse 3 8 9
INCHRORY (Mr. Reid Walker) L. Ward 6 8 5
GAY RICHARD (Mr. W. de Pledge) Pope 3 8 5
BAMBOULA (Duke of Westminster) Wm. Griggs 3 8 5
ROYAL FALCON (Mrs. G. Drummond) Leach, Jun. 3 8 0
GOLDEN FIZZ (Mr. Templeman) Owner 5 7 12
TIDE (Mr. P. Heybourn) R. W. Colling 3 7 11
CIGALE (Lt.-Col. R. B. Johnson) Owner 3 7 11
BUCENE (Mrs. F. M. Bullock) Bullock 3 7 4
CAPTAIN WEBB (Maj. E. Platt) Poole 6 7 2
TAURINA (Mr. A. J. Buston) ...Bullock 3 6 8
RED MARTEN (Mr. T. Davidson) Cottrill 3 6 8
TATTERS II. (Ld. Derby) ......Lambton 3 6 8
PENTLAND (Ld. Derby) ......Lambton 3 6 8
TRIGGER (Ld. Fitzwilliam) ...M. Vasey 3 6 8
FLASHING LIGHT (Mr. A. de Rothschild) ....T. Cannon 3 6 8

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430	ST. MARY'S KIRK	H. Beasley	10/1
010	INCHRORY	Elliott	10/1
21	BAMBOULA	S. Donoghue	2/1
144	TIDE	D. Morris	10/1
032	PENTLAND	Freeman	7/1
020	TRIGGER	Williams	10/1
231	CIGALE	Sirett	7/2
002	FLASHING LIGHT	Berry	11/2

LATEST SCRATCHINGS:—Downe Nursery—Shoestring. All Selling—Shoestring. Molyneux 'Chase—Clashing Arms.

SELECTIONS FOR LIVERPOOL MEETING TO-DAY.

PAPER.	1.15 RACE.	1.45 RACE.	2.15 RACE.	2.50 RACE.	3.20 RACE.	3.50 RACE.
Irish Times	Happy Life.	Roman Empire.	Winnall.	Winalot.*	Ribstone.	Bamboula.
Do. Galtee More	John MacNab.	—	Master Billie.	Delius.	Donnina.	—
S. Life and Sportsman	John MacNab.	Osaka filly.	Winnall.	Delius; Sparus, place.	Harpist.*	Pentland.
Man on the Spot	Conca Doro.	Roman Empire.*	Master Billie.	Winalot; if ab., Donzelon.	Ribstone.	Pentland.
Westminster Gazette	John MacNab.	Queen's Bower.	Master Billie.	Delius 1, Sirdar 2, Donzelon 3.	Donnina.	Pentland.
Daily Express	John MacNab.	Roman Empire.	Master Billie.	Donzelon* each way.	Harpist; if ab., Charmant.	Flashing Light, next best.
Daily Mirror	Happy Life.	Chestnut Sunday gelding.	Shaun Or.	Winalot; if ab., Delius.	Harpist.	Pentland.
Daily Sketch	Morny.	Chestnut Sunday gelding.	Master Billie.	The Sirdar.*	Dodder.	Pentland.
Star	Newstead.	Roman Empire.	Clashing Arms.	Delius*; Donzelon, place.	Ribstone.	Bamboula.
Evening News	Newstead.*	Merton colt.	Master Billie.	Delius; Donzelon, place.	Charmant.*	Pentland.
Evening Standard	Newstead.	Figliastra.	Shaun Or.	Winalot; if ab., Donzelon.	Open Prospect.	Royal Falcon.
Times	Happy Life; if ab., Jacob	Tag End.	Winnall.	Donzelon.	Francis Joseph.	Pentland.

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RUGBY.

MORGAN'S SCHOOL v. SANDFORD PARK SCHOOL.—Played at Castleknock and resulted in a win for Morgan's by 2 goals 2 tries (16 points) to 1 try (3 points).

TO-MORROW'S SENIOR FIXTURES.

Wanderers v. Palmerston. Lansdowne road.
University College v. Lansdowne. Terenure.
Blackrock College v. Old Wesley. Williamstown.
Bective Rangers v. Monkstown. Donnybrook.
Queen's University (Belfast) v. Dublin University. Belfast.
Garryowen v. Clontarf. Limerick.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

	Points.		Points.
Newport	33	Oxford University	5

RUGBY LEAGUE—LANCASHIRE CUP (SEMI-FINAL).

St. Helens Recreation	8	Salford	5

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COURSING.

KRIESLER'S TRIAL

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Judge—Mr. M. F. Davin. Slipper—M.

TRIAL STAKES—For 8 puppies. Win Second £5.

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Mr. Barrett's bk. w. d. Beaten Again con—Floating Wave) beat Mrs. Fitzger Flying Light (First Light—Full Victory)
Mrs. Coghlan's r. b. Carrick Hill (Th Bearna Gaoittse) beat Mr. O'Connell's Eyes (First Light—Full Victory).
Mr. McLoughney's bd. b. Mild Dr Dick—One Drop) beat Mr. Stapleton's Spotted Queen (Jedderfield—Mavis (1).
2nd Round—Kriesler beat Beate Carrick Hill beat Mild Drop.
Deciding Course—Kriesler beat Carric

SUIRSIDE STAKES—For 11 all-age £22; second £8; one dog, £
Mr. O'Brien's r. f. d. Odd Bargai Brigade—Melksham Lady) beat Lonerg Third Tip (Old Ale—Waltzaway VI.).
Mr. Walshe's bd. d. Wily Warrior (Th Cara Dilis) beat Mr. Dalton's f. d. I (Fra Diavalo—Be Careful IV.)
Mr. O'Brien's r. f. d. Odd Boy (Th Brenda) beat Mr. Nash's bd. d. King monicon—Royal Margaret).
Mr. O'Shea's r. f. d. Strong and Swe Honey Lass II.) beat Mr. Geary's bd. Fox (Royal Dictator—Chinwagger).
Mr. Rooney's f. b. Swift Maid (Che Mystic) beat Mr. Rea's bd. b. K (First Light—Winding Way).
Mr. Barron's f. b. Rigadoon (Th Daring Beauty), a bye.
2nd Round—Wily Warrior beat Od Odd Boy beat Strong and Sweet; R Swift Maid.
3rd Round—Wily Warrior beat Ri Boy, a bye.
Stakes divided.

BALLYGLASHEEN STAKES—For Winner, £20; second, £7 10s.; £2 10s. each.
Mr. Farrell's Master M. beat Mr. B
Mr. Cantwell's Close Quarters beat Bent on Victory.
Mr. Maher's Modest Jim beat Ballygrunna.
Mr. Walsh's Wireless Waves beat Merry Ormonde.
Mr. O'Brien's Beaded Biddy beat Palm Leaf.
Mr. Dwyer's Dougan's Style beat Ale's Honey.
Mr. Flanagan's Peach's Pet, a bye.
2nd Round—Close Quarters beat Modest Jim beat Wireless Waves; beat Peach's Pet; Dougan's Style
3rd Round—Close Quarters beat Beaded Biddy beat Dougan's Style.
Deciding Course—Close Quarters Biddy.

KILKEE AND DISTRICT

Judge—Mr. J. Meehan. Slipper—W.
TRIAL STAKE—For 2 puppies.
Miss N. O'Sullivan's Rattleaway McDonald's Hem.
ALL-AGED STAKE—For 4 all-a £7 10/-; second £2 10
Mr. T. Ryan's Gay Angela beat Mr Spoil the Tune.
Mr. J. McDonold's Confiscator Downey's Bravado.
Deciding Course — Confiscator Pearse—Costume Cloth) beat Gay An —Go Aisy).
DUFFER STAKES—For 12 all-ages, second, £4; two dogs, £1 10
Mr. Crotty's Cassino beat Mr. Mc Solo.
Mr. Markham's Shark Flash be livan's Pepper.
Mr. Atkins's Fingall Cheer, a by Maiden Gal. absent.
Mr. Matthews's Manoir beat Mr Laura.
Mr. Carmody's Princess Eva bea Hard Held.
Mr. Blackhall's Blackweir beat Primrose Nell.
2nd Round—Cassino beat Shark Cheer beat Manoir; Princess Eva be
3rd Round—Cassino beat Fingall Eva, a bye.
Cassino (Cassino Lad—Bridie's F cess Eva (First Light—Winsome Sh
LOCAL STAKE—For 10 dogs (all- £6; second, £2; two dogs,
Mr. M. McGrath's Paddy the R Girl) and Mr. P. Butler's Sunshine III.—Another 10) divided.

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CLUB NOTICES AND

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MALAHIDE (Ladies' Branch)— open foursomes (one club). First Miss Reid (15), 97; second, Mr Mrs. Bailey (18 1-3), 100 2-3.

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HOCKEY.

LEINSTER LADIES SENIOR CUP AND

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LEINSTER UMPIRES' A mittee meeting at 24 Low Monday next at 7.30 p.m.

PRINCIPAL MATCHES

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MAGISTRATE'S

COUNCIL PROSECU REMOVING S

In a prosecution brought Sessions by the Urban moving sand from Ballyh Savage, J.P., after evidenc that the defendants were sand in a bucket and t commented that the Counci the greatest transgressors; take it away in toy buck away in cart loads.

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2nd Round—Kriesler beat Beaten Again; Carrick Hill beat Mild Drop.

Deciding Course—Kriesler beat Carrick Hill.

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Mr. Rooney's f. b. Swift Maid (Cheerful Speed—Mystic) beat Mr. Rea's bd. b. Katty Darling (First Light—Winding Way).

Mr. Barron's f. b. Rigadoon (Three Speed—Daring Beauty), a bye.

2nd Round—Wily Warrior beat Odd Bargain; Odd Boy beat Strong and Sweet; Rigadoon beat Swift Maid.

3rd Round—Wily Warrior beat Rigadoon; Odd Boy, a bye.

Stakes divided.

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Mr. O'Brien's Beaded Biddy beat Mr. Power's Palm Leaf.

Mr. Dwyer's Dougan's Style beat Mr. Ryan's Ale's Honey.

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2nd Round—Close Quarters beat Master M.; Modest Jim beat Wireless Waves; Beaded Biddy beat Peach's Pet; Dougan's Style a bye.

3rd Round—Close Quarters beat Modest Jim; Beaded Biddy beat Dougan's Style.

Deciding Course—Close Quarters beat Beaded Biddy.

KILKEE AND DISTRICT MEETING.

Judge—Mr. J. Meehan. Slipper—W. O'Donoghue.

TRIAL STAKE—For 2 puppies. Winner, £5.

Miss N. O'Sullivan's Rattleaway beat Mr. J. McDonald's Hem.

ALL-AGED STAKE—For 4 all-ages. Winner, £7 10/-; second £2 10/-.

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Mr. J. McDonald's Confiscator beat Mr. B. Downey's Bravado.

Deciding Course — Confiscator (Commandant Pearse—Costume Cloth) beat Gay Angela (Gros Abu —Go Aisy).

DUFFER STAKES—For 12 all-ages. Winner, £11; second, £4; two dogs, £1 10/- each.

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Cassino (Cassino Lad—Bridie's Fancy) and Princess Eva (First Light—Winsome Sheila) divided.

LOCAL STAKE—For 10 dogs (all-ages). Winner, £6; second, £2; two dogs, £1 each.

Mr. M. McGrath's Paddy the Rake (Billy—Cow Girl) and Mr. P. Butler's Sunshine Lass (Clare Boy III—Another 10) divided.

COURSING.—For special reports of Meetings and interesting Field Notes, see To-morrow's issue of *The Irish Field*. Price 2d.—(Advt.)

M.C.C. ON TOUR.

MATCH WITH ARMY DRAWN.

LAHORE, Thursday.

After an interesting day's cricket the match between the M.C.C. touring team and the Army in India ended here this evening in a draw. The visitors raised their score to 252 for 6, and declared. Sandham, who had made 85 overnight, carried his bat for 141.

Requiring 179 to avoid a single innings defeat, the Army shaped much better in their second innings, and scored 208 for 5. Hudson (94) and Mallinson (75) were both victims of Astill's bowling.

GOLF.

CLUB NOTICES AND REPORTS.

ROYAL DUBLIN.—To-morrow—November medals, bogey.

ST. ANNE'S.—Monthly medal, 14th November.

CASTLE (Ladies' Branch)—November medal. Won by Mrs. J. Dowling (Class I.), 80 net. Class II.—Mrs. McCarron, 75 net.

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HOCKEY.

LEINSTER LADIES' UNION. SENIOR CUP AND BADGES.

All entries and fees for Senior Cup, Middle and Junior Badges, must reach the Hon. Secretary, Miss G. Mortell, 119 Donore terrace, South Circular road, not later than Monday next, 15th November. Club secretaries will note that they are not entitled to enter for cup and badges competitions until their affiliation fees have been paid.

LEINSTER UMPIRES' ASSOCIATION—Committee meeting at 24 Lower Abbey street on Monday next at 7.30 p.m.

PRINCIPAL MATCHES TO-MORROW.

Railway Union v. Edenderry.
Limerick P.Y.M.A. v. Monkstown.
Three Rock Rovers v. Dublin University.

MAGISTRATE'S MIND.

COUNCIL PROSECUTIONS FOR REMOVING SAND.

In a prosecution brought at Bangor Petty Sessions by the Urban Council, for removing sand from Ballyholme beach, Mr. Savage, J.P., after evidence had been given that the defendants were seen taking away sand in a bucket and two wheel-barrows, commented that the Council themselves were the greatest transgressors; but they did not take it away in toy buckets, they took it away in cart loads.

Mr. Mahaffy, solicitor for the Council, objected to Mr. Savage's expressions from the bench, and Mr. Savage replied that he always expressed his mind when the occasion arose. The cases were dismissed.

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PRODUCE AND FOOD MARKETS.

CATTLE.

DUBLIN METROPOLITAN CATTLE, North Circular road, Thursday.—For the third consecutive week our supplies of cattle and sheep have shown some more or less material falling off, but there has been no corresponding revival in the trade of either branches; in fact, sheep continue as slumpy and uncertain as ever to cash; but the further reduction in cattle to-day about saved the situation against any further decline in values. However, that there is no real improvement or stability in prices of cattle (which are now in the main or average only a few shillings per cwt. above pre-war rates) is reflected from the position of provincial fairs; in fact, we understand that Mullingar and Drogheda this week were as disappointing fixtures as can be well described, and a considerable proportion of stock brought in was returned unsold. Although the market ran into a late hour for cattle, there was ultimately a fair sell up, but sheep proved much in excess of the business practicable. With regard to the Christmas Fat Stock Show to be held in this market on Wednesday, 8th prox., the Committee have now been obliged to refuse some hundreds of late applications, as there is approximately 1,100 entries already registered, and this will be about as much as can be conveniently dealt with. These facts put a very successful complexion on the fixture. Canadian cattle shipments advised this week total 1,267 head of beasts, few being ripe cattle for slaughter, several of the consignments including a number of stockers and feeders forward enough for finishing. Supplies are reported heavy in Canada, and trade decidedly weaker. Shipping prices for choice steers quoted 7.10 to 7.35, and mediums 6.50 to 6.75; stockers from 4.50 to 5.50, and feeders 5.50 to 6.00 dollars per 100lbs. The consignments were nearly equally divided for Liverpool and Glasgow; but 227 head were car-marked for Cardiff.

	Numbers on offer this week as compared with last.	Corresponding weeks of 1925.	1924.
Cattle	4,382—decrease 332	5,479	5,931
Sheep and Lambs	5,462—decrease 370	5,770	7,454
Veal Calves	9 —	15	10

The shorter supply of cattle to be dealt with gave a healthier and somewhat firmer tone to the general position of market for finished bullocks and heifers, but it was impossible to secure any appreciation on last week's currencies for anything. The best that could be said of market is that there was a readier sale at previous rates. Choice handy-weighted heifers and bullocks figured inside 38s. to 40s. per cwt., and for super-grade qualities up to 42s. and 42s. 6d. per cwt., perhaps 6d or so more for fancy exhibits. Useful classes of cattle were from 36s. to 37s. 6d. and coarse and inferior, say, around 34s. to 35s. per cwt. A better trade for cows; prices for young, well-finished lots came near up to current figures for fairish heifers in other branches of our market, but ordinary descriptions of slaughter cows still figure from, say, 30s. to 35s. per cwt.; old and wasty sorts around 22s. 6d. to 27s. 6d. per cwt.

In the ovine branch of market business again showed a slack and apathetic disposition. Lambs attracted poor patronage at equally disappointing prices, whilst butchers did not appear to be in want of many sheep, and bid somewhat tediously. Only nice young Cheviot quality wethers were anywhere satisfactorily placed as things went; other descriptions of sheep, especially heavy and coarse qualities were a more or less negligible sale at uncertain prices. Choice qualities of wether mutton may be reckoned as 9d. to 9½d. per lb.; occasional fancy pens of small Cheviot weights probably a fraction or so more in special instances. Medium to heavy weighted wethers around 8d. to 8½d. per lb., and ewes from 6d. to 6½d. and 7d. per lb.; coarse mutton may be less money, but difficult to quote for. The popular run of lambs figured from 40s. to 45s. and 48s. each; those value for more or less are uncertain to quote for. A number of horny and small mountain sheep in evidence, most of which were not even bid for, and had to be returned unsold.

DUBLIN DAIRY CATTLE, North Circular road.—About 330 head of dairy cattle were entered for sale on this market. Buyers in fair attendance, and showed a rather better business disposition, which reflected itself in a readier repetition of last week's basis of values. Tip-top heavy fresh calved cows realised from £25 up to £30 each, and best run of shipping heifers in milk £21 to £26 and £27 each. Average run of fresh stockers for local dairy requirements figured from £15 to £24 and £25 each. Small and ordinary cows £10 to £17 and £18 each.

DUBLIN PIG, North Circular road.—There was a much larger supply of swine brought on our market this week—viz., 1,034 head, or 19[?] more than previous gathering. Business ruled slack and tedious throughout, in absence of shipping and appreciable Northern competition, dealings being virtually confined to local wants, and buyers had matters largely their own way on question of prices. Values consequently were seriously depressed over the day's dealings. Within the first hour or so of opening of market, medium to heavy weight pigs showed a drop of 20/- to 30/- per head. Generally currencies were 3/- to 5/- or 6/- per cwt. lower. Best bacon, say, 84/- to 90/- per cwt.; fancy small weights about 95/- to 100/-, heavy and coarse 77/6 to 82/6, and sows 65/- to 75/- per cwt.

YORK.—Largest show of Irish store cattle this back-end. About 150 English beasts penned. Slow dragging trade in both sections, with late rates about maintained. Average show of calving and milch cows, with trade depressed and a decline of 10/- per cow. Lighter show of sheep experienced; quieter trade, with prices a shade easier all round.

BRISTOL.—Beef, moderate supply, 90/- to 95/- per cwt. dead weight. Moderate supply of mutton, 1/- to 1/1 per lb.; lamb 1/2 to 1/3 per lb. About 400 store cattle on offer, but trade quiet at late rates. No pigs. Milch cows £22 to £28 up to £38 for extras.

Pure Linseed, Cotton, Ground Nut, Cocoa, Palm Cake and Meals, Pig Meal, Calf Meal. Knowat Ration Calculator for Dairy Cows can be had on application, post free. Agent—William Rourke, 36 North Circular road, Dublin. Telephone—3617. Telegrams—"Genuine, Dublin."—(Advt.)

BIRMINGHAM PIG.—Fair supply and trade steady in all departments, with sows a harder tendency. Quotations per score dead weight—Sizeable bacons 17/6; cutters again a wide range, 18/- to 20/-, according to weight and quality, and sows 15/6 to 16/-.

Semi-Solid Buttermilk for Pigs, Calves, and Poultry. Agent—William Rourke, 36 North Circular road, Dublin.—(Advt.)

GRAIN.

FLOATING GRAIN CARGOES.—BALTIC—WHEAT cargo market remained steady, but business made quiet progress in view of holidays in America and Argentina. No. 1 Northern Manitoba Atlantic November sellers 62/9, No. 2 do. Vancouver November 58/6, No. 2 hard winter November 59/9, white Pacific November 57/9, December 57/-; Australian December-January 58/9, January-February 58/6; Barusso (63½lbs.) January-February 55/6, Rosafe do. 56/3, South Russian on sample November 59/- to 59/9. Parcels quiet; No. 1 Northern Manitoba October-November sold 60/9 to 61/-, November-December 60/-, choice white Karachi November-December sellers 59/-, Australian December 58/9 per 480lbs. **MAIZE** firmly held in view of advancing Argentine freight rates and scanty tonnage offers for December loading. Plate cargoes afloat sellers 32/3 and for shipment up to December-January 32/-; Roumanian November-December 34/9. Parcels firm; Plate November-December sold 31/3, and January-February 30/10½ to 31/- per 480lbs. **BARLEY** steady, but inactive; cargoes of South Russian November sellers 33/-. Parcels of do. Nov. 33/-, Dan.-Bess.-Kuss. November-December 32/6, Plate November 32/3, Persian afloat 29/9, November 31/6; No. 3 Canadian Western December 34/3 per 400lbs. **OATS** quiet; Plate afloat sellers 24/6, loading 23/-, early December 21/10½ paid, January-February 21/-; Chilean October-November 22/3, December-January 23/- per 320lbs.

LIVERPOOL CORN.—With easier Winnipeg and Chicago cables, forward deliveries of **WHEAT** here showed a moderate decline at the outset, but afterwards improved on better Argentine news and firmness in freights, though later on receded, afternoon cables failing to turn out as good as expected, December finishing at a fair advance, but other months unchanged on the day. C.i.f. parcels No. 1 Manitoba October-November sold at 60/6, No. 2 November 13 59/6, No. 2 Manitoba tough 15th November 56/10½ to 57/- per qr. to Liverpool, No. 2 Manitoba shipping 59/9, No. 2 tough 11th December 56/4½ to Manchester. C.i.f. parcels **MAIZE** River Plate afloat sold at 31/9 to 32/3, according to position, to Liverpool, and arrived at 32/9 to Manchester. Wheat on the spot quietly steady. Maize spot parcels steady at 7/1½ to 7/2 per cental for River Plate. **FLOUR** shows no change; official price of straight run 47/6 per 280lbs. ex mill. Graded wheat futures opened ⅛d. to ¼d. per cental lower, then gradually improved until ½d. to ⅜d. over Wednesday night had been registered, but later on receded, the market closing ⅛d. over Wednesday night for December and unchanged for other months. Maize options nominally ½d. dearer. Values—November 7/1, December and January 7/- per cental.

MANCHESTER. — English wheat quotations lower at 55/- to 56/- per quarter on rail. English oats 7/9 to 8/3 per cwt. on rail. English feeding barley 36/- per quarter upwards on rail.

BRISTOL.—English wheat, best milling sorts, 57/- on rail. Foreign wheat improved demand, small stocks maintain values; No. 2 Northern Manitobas 67/-. Grinding barley good trade, 33/6. Maize fair request 3d. to 6d. more money. Oats firm, improved prices.

PROVISIONS.

LIVERPOOL.—BACON—Irish and Danish remains quiet at the recent decline, while Canadian is reduced 2/- to 98/- to 104/- per cwt., with little inquiry. American selections of bacon here are again in only limited request, the Irish demand for backs having fallen off, but prices are unchanged, except for Cumberlands, which are 1/- lower at 104/- to 108/- for light and 108/- to 110/- for heavier averages. **HAMS** continue quiet and short cut are reduced a further occasional 1/- at 124/- to 135/- per cwt. Shoulders steadily held at late rates, supplies being somewhat limited. **LARD** on the spot quiet, with buyers operating cautiously, and in sympathy with lower c.i.f. rates, prices are 6d. to 1/- easier; prime steam now 65/- to 66/- and American refined 66/- to 67/6 per cwt. **CHEESE** attracts little attention, but prices are unaltered. **BUTTER** still dull of sale and favouring buyers; Danish reduced to 172/- to 174/-, and Swedish 164/- to 168/- per cwt. **EGGS** quiet at 26/- to 28/6 per 120 for Irish fresh hen, 20/- to 21/- duck, and 9/- Egyptian.

CARDIFF.—The market has been dull, with bacon appreciably lower. Wholesale quotations delivered in Cardiff district:—**BACON**—Irish baled lower, 113/- to 120/-; Danish lower, 113/- to 117/-; Canadian Wiltshire lower, 102/- to 109/-; American steady, 101/- to 110/-. **HAMS**—Irish steady, 205/- to 225/-; American quiet, 128/- to 145/-. Shoulders steady, 87/- to 98/-. **BUTTER**—Irish dull; creameries 149/- to 153/-, separators, best, ex cold storage, 144/- to 148/-; factory 140/- to 143/-; Danish lower, 180/- to 184/-, all per cwt. **EGGS**—Irish hen quiet, 21/6 to 28/6 per 120. **POULTRY**—Irish chickens lower at 10d. to 1/1; hens 6d. to 9d. per lb.

DUBLIN VEGETABLE.—Rather a big market of stuff for a mid-week supply. Arrivals included a considerable quantity of inferior cabbage, which was hard to clear. Trade generally slow. Cauliflowers 3/- to 4/6 per dozen, seconds 1/10 to 2/3. Sprouts 3/6 to 6/- per half-bushel. Savoy cabbage 20/- to 25/- and 30/- per load, and York 16/6 to 25/- and up to 35/- per load. Celery 2/6, 4/6, 5/- and 5/6 per bundle. White turnips 8d. to 10d. ditto. Swede turnips 1/8 to 2/- per cwt. Carrots 1/6 to 2/- per dozen bundles. Parsnips 3/- to 4/6 per cwt. Parsley 5d. to 1/6 per tray and 2/6 to 3/- per bag. Thyme and sage 2d. to 4d. per bunch. Other commodities average rates.

DUBLIN POTATO.—Supplies of potatoes continue to be pressed forward for sale in excessive quantities. Prices show a decidedly drooping undertone. Factors' terms for city delivery of selected table tubers 6/3 to 6/6, and some around 5/6 per cwt. Growers' terms for direct bulk lots locally and ex rail less.

CORK BUTTER.—Quiet tone, values in buyers' favour. Creameries 140/- to 144/- per cwt., choicest salted 145/-.

COPENHAGEN BUTTER.—Weekly quotation 284 kroner per 100 kilos, approximately £7 15/10 per cwt., a decrease of 9/9 on the week.

DUBLIN FISH.—Supplies of fish from local and country sources good. Steamers brought mostly cod and whiting. Arrivals included 268 boxes from two steamers, one chest lobsters, 120 boxes herrings and 30 of mackerel. Good all-round demand, unless for herrings, which were a glut and of poor class, figuring 2/- to 5/- and 8/- per half-bushel. Lobsters scarce, 6d. to 1/8 each. Turbot 1/- to 15/- and 16/- each, and brill 6d. to 6/- each. Best soles 40/- to 63/- per nine pairs, mediums 20/- to 25/- and 30/-, and slips 5/- to 12/- per lot. Half-boxes—Plaice 20/-, 60/-, 80/-, and 84/-, white soles 30/- to 40/-, codfish 22/6 to 44/-, hake 40/- to 70/-, small 15/- up; haddock 20/- to 40/-, pollock 20/- to 25/-, ling 10/- to 15/-, conger eels 15/- to 25/-, gurnard 3/- to 6/-, ray 10/- to 20/-, whiting, selected 30/-, others 15/- up; mackerel 10/- to 12/6 and 14/-.

BILLINGSGATE FISH.—Fair supplies; steady demand. Soles 24d. to 29d., slips 14d. to 21d. per lb.; live eels 12/- to 30/-, dead 10/- to 20/- drught; turbot 15/- to 20/-, brill 14/- to 17/-, plaice 8/- to 15/-, halibut 14/- to 20/-, lemon soles 15/- to 19/-, whitches 11/- to 14/-, cod 5/- to 8/-, whiting 3/- to 6/-, hake 9/- to 12/-, skate 5/- to 7/-, haddocks 4/- to 7/- per stone.

PRODUCE.

LONDON.—SUGAR—A generally quieter tone prevailed, but holders of spot parcels required previous rates. Forward positions met with but fair support. Raw refining descriptions steady, though quiet. White terminal quiet: December sold 15/6¼, March 16/3 to 16/2¼, May 16/6 to 16/5¼, August 16/9¼ to 16/9. **COFFEE**—Fine sorts firm, but medium and common slow. **COCOA**—Accra F/F November-December sold 46/-, f.o.b. **RICE**—Market idle and largely nominal. **SPICE**—Pepper steady; Lampong October-December sold 11¼d., January-March 1/0¼. Muntok October-December 1/7½. **JUTE** stronger; firsts October-November sold £30 15/- to £30 7/6, November-December £30 5/- to £30, December-January sellers £29 17/6, January-February £30. **HEMP**—Manila firm at previous prices. **SHELLAC**—T.N. March 205/- to 212/6, December-January steamer sold 200/- to 205/-. **COPRA**—Market dull; Straits F.M.S. December-January Rotterdam sold £27 7/6. **PALM KERNELS** November-January £20.

RUBBER—Market dull. Plantation sheet spot November and December sold 1/8¾, January-March 1/9, April-June 1/9¼. **TEA**—In auction 4,597 packages Java and Sumatra were offered and met an active demand at mostly higher prices, an advance of ½d. to ¼d. per lb. being frequently registered. Pekoe sold 1/1½ to 1/3¼, broken ditto 9½d. to 1/8, Pekoe Souchong 1/- to 1/2¼, orange Pekoe 1/3 to 1/6¼, broken 11½d. to 1/6¼ per lb. in bond. **OILS**—Linseed steady; spot quoted 31/3, December to April sold 30/4½, May-August 30/-. Cotton easy; crude Egyptian spot 33/6, Bombay 32/6, common edible 39/6. Rape, castor, China wood, and coconut unaltered. Turpentine firmer; American spot 63/-, November-December 63/6; January-April, also May-June, 64/6 per cwt. Petroleum, also rosin, steady, unaltered. **OILSEEDS**—Linseed steady but generally quiet owing to holidays in the Argentina. Calcutta to London November-December sellers £17 2/6, ditto to Dundee sold £17. Plate to Hull November-December £15 15/-, new crop January-February, also February-March, £14 17/6 sellers. Rapeseed quiet; Toria to Continent November-December £19 7/6, new January-February £18 2/6. Cottonseed quiet; Egyptian black to Hull November sold £9 3/9, white November quoted £8 15/-. Bombay December-January £7 12/6 per ton. Brazil nuts steady; Manaos quoted 54/- per ton ex wharf London, and Para 42/6 ex wharf Liverpool.

LIVERPOOL WHITE SUGAR TERMINAL.—The following were yesterday's official call prices of the United Sugar Terminal Market Association, Liverpool Branch:—Morning—November 15/5¼ value, December 15/7¼ value, March 16/3 value, May 16/6 sellers, August 16/9 buyers. Tone quiet. Afternoon—November 15/4½ value, December 15/6¼ value, March 16/2¼ value, May 16/5¼ value, August 16/9 value. Tone easy. Tate and Lyle's quotations yesterday:—Crystals—No. 1 32/9, small No. 1 32/3, No. 2 31/-, bright 30/10½. Granulated—Standard 30/9, H.T.S. 30/10½, coarse 31/1½, fine 31/1½ ex refinery Liverpool, less 1½ p.c. discount. Cubes ex refinery in London—First quality 35/-, H.T.S. 34/9, afternoon tea 35/3, less 1½ p.c. discount.

CLYDE CRUSHED SUGAR.—There was no change to report in the market. Actual sugar prices are very steady.

MISCELLANEOUS.

LIVERPOOL COTTON. — American Futures — Values improved a few points during the morning on local buying and trade calling, but reacted in the afternoon hedge selling. Market closed quiet; spot sales 8,000 bales (sales for export included in above, 300 bales). American Futures—Tendency quiet: November 6.66d., December 6.68d., January 6.74d., February 6.76d., March 6.82d., April 6.84d., May 6.91d., June 6.94d., July 7.00d., August 7.03d., September 7.06d., October 7.08d., November 7.08d. Egyptian Futures (basis F.G.F. Sakel)—Tendency quiet: November 13.37d., January 13.05d., March 13.00d., May 12.95d., July 12.91d.

BRADFORD WOOL.—Business was confined to the packing of cheap lots, but there is a fairly good inquiry. Topmakers are not disposed to make further reductions owing to the better competition in Australia, the cancellation of the Adelaide sales, and the nearness of the New Zealand sales. Yarns are quiet at late rates.

MANCHESTER HAY AND STRAW.—On Produce Exchange hay and straw in steady request. Prices unchanged. General quotations—Lincolnshire rye grass and clover, old £6 5/- to £6 10/-, new £5 15/-; Cheshire, old £5 15/- to £6, new £5 5/- to £5 10/-; meadow hay £5 to £5 7/6; oat and wheat straw 60/- to 65/- per ton, all delivered Manchester.

LONDON METALS MARKET.

TIN LOWER.

The market for TIN reacted on freer offerings and a quieter demand, cash on balance ruling 45/- to 50/- and forward 25/- per ton lower, compared with the final rates on Wednesday. Standard cash quoted £309 5/- to £309 10/-, three months £298 10/- to £298 15/-; settlement price £309 5/-. 850 tons sold: cash at £309, £309 5/-, £308 10/-, and finally £309 7/6, three months £297 10/- to £298 10/-. English ingot quoted £307 5/- to £307 15/-. **COPPER** irregular, while 5/- per ton lower on balance, with moderate dealings. Standard cash quoted £57 10/- to £57 12/6, three months £58 7/6 to £58 10/-; settlement price £57 12/6. 700 tons sold, comprising cash at £57 12/6, three months £58 10/-, £58 11/3, and £58 8/9; electros quoted £65 15/- to £66 5/-, wire bars £66 5/-. **LEAD** in fair support, but with sellers to the fore prices closed barely steady. On balance 900 tons changed hands; good soft foreign pig November £29 5/- to £29 3/9, February £29 12/6 to £29 11/3; settlement price £29 5/-. English quoted £30 15/-. **SPELTER** in moderate support, but fully steady. 500 tons sold: December at £33 8/9 to £33 10/-, January £33 8/9, February £33 10/-; settlement price £33 10/- per ton.

GLASGOW IRON AND STEEL.—No report yesterday.

DUBLIN WOOL SALES.

The downward trend in values prevailing in the primary markets revealed itself yesterdayy at Messrs. Ganly, Sons and Co.'s sale of home-grown wools. A large catalogue of some 500,000lbs. weight was put forward to an average company of buyers; biddings were by no means keen, and a large portion was withdrawn. All classes of bred wool and Cheviot were fully 5 to 7½ per cent. lower. Cross-bred, Scotch and Kerry were competed for at prices ruling at the last auction. Following are the prices realised:—

	WASHED.	GREASY.
Downs	16½d. to 17½d.	13d. to 13½d.
Fine-bred wools	13½d. to 14½d.	11d. to 12d.
Deep-bred wools	12½d. to 13½d.	10½d. to 11d.
Cheviot	12d. to 13½d.	10½d. to 11½d.
Cross-bred	11½d. to 12½d.	10½d. to 11d.
Black-face & Scotch	10¼d. to 10¾d.	9½d. to 10½d.

Messrs. Ganly's next auction will be held in January.

IMPORTED PORK EMBARGO.

HOW PIG-BREEDING CAN BE MADE PROFITABLE.

Roscommon County Committee of Agriculture discussed pig-breeding, on a letter from the Department pointing out that at present there was an embargo on imported pork.

Canon Butler said that if the small farmers went in for more pig-breeding there would be less poverty in the country.

Mr. Hafferty gave it as his experience that the pig industry did not pay, while Mr. Allen said that, where men had to purchase the young pigs, owing to the price, very little profit could be made on the transaction.

Mr. Cotter, agricultural instructor, said that those who reared pigs would make a nice profit, provided that they used the best foodstuffs. A barley-fed pig would be a better product than a pig fed on linseed.

The matter then dropped.

ENCOURAGING POTATO-GROWING

Roscommon County Committee of Agriculture has decided to offer £50 in prizes to encourage seed potato production in the county.

A letter was read from the Department on the subject, and it was pointed out by Mr. Cotter, agricultural instructor, that already they had sent a wagon of seed potatoes to Africa, and had orders for Portugal and Malta, and were trying to capture the English markets.

STORE CATTLE SALES.

MESSRS. GANLY, SONS AND CO.

A fine show of cattle came forward for this week's sale, many which were well-bred and in forward condition consigned direct from the following well-known feeders:—The Right Hon. the Earl of Iveagh, Sir Thomas Stafford, Major E. M. Conolly, George Acheson, G. R. Whitmore, T. J. Dempsey, John Quin, C. B. Ryan, Peter Mahon, William Swan, Peter Byrne, P. J. Hughes, etc. There was a large attendance of buyers; good competition was experienced, and a complete clearance was effected. The annual draft of 64 very good forward shorthorn bullocks, the property of the Earl of Iveagh, Ashford, Co. Galway, were much admired, and sold from £22 15/- to £18 15/-. Sir Thomas Stafford's choice Aberdeen Polly bullocks, at £19 15/- made top live weight quotation of 44/- per cwt. Peter Byrne's grand pen of Hereford cross polly bullocks, at £22 5/-, made 43/- per cwt.; and G. R. Acheson's A.A. polly bullocks, at £18 5/-, were 42/- per cwt. Other prices work out from 36/6 to 39/- per cwt.

MESSRS. GAVIN LOW, LTD.

The numbers shown at yesterday's sale were about the same as last week, and included a nice selection of A.A. crosses, which met with keen competition. There was a large attendance of both home and cross-Channel buyers, and trade was of a livelier nature throughout. An excellent clearance was effected. The following quotations will show the trend of values. Horned bullocks and heifers made from £18 15/- to £10 10/-, or from 40/- to 35/- per cwt. A.A. and Hereford crosses made from £19 10/- to £14 2/6, or from 45/- to 38/- per cwt.

MESSRS. R. AND J. WILKINSON.

The demand for good quality stores was well maintained at yesterday's sale, especially for medium weight cattle—both bullocks and heifers. There was a representative attendance of buyers, and the majority of the cattle being of suitable description they met a ready sale at in or about last week's prices. Plain and strong classes continue difficult to place. Top price, £22 15/-, was secured for some A.A. cross bullocks; other pens of crosses making £19 15/-, £18 15/-, £16 10/-, etc. Horned and polled bullocks made £21 10/-, £19 10/-, £19, £18 10/-, £18, £18 5/-, £17 15/-, £17 10/-, all in or about 37/- to 40/- per cwt., but plainer lots were bid to only 34/- and 35/- per cwt. Some useful pens of heifers made £17 15/-, £16 12/6, £16, £15 10/- (37/6 to 40/-).

DUBLIN AND THE PROVINCES.

DUBLIN.

Broadstone Canal.—At their meeting to-morrow the City Commissioners will consider proposals regarding the acquisition and closing of the Broadstone branch of the Royal Canal.

Municipal Art Gallery.—The portrait of Mrs. Stephen Gwynn, by Mr. Dermod O'Brien, P.R.H.A., has been received on loan by the Municipal Art Gallery from the owner, Dr. William M. Crofton.

Organ Recital. — An interesting organ recital will be given in Donore Presbyterian Church, South Circular road, this evening, at 8 o'clock by Dr. George H. P. Hewson. The programme includes selections from Widor, Karg-Elert, Handel, Bach, Cyril Scott, and other composers. The offertory is in aid of church funds. The church will be comfortably heated.

PASSENGERS BY THE B. AND I. LINE, VIA LIVERPOOL.

Arrivals.—Lord Ardee, Sir Frederick Shaw, Lady Shaw, T. Hayes, J. Devine, R. Byrne, P. B. Ross, E. V. Cox, J. H. Booth, T. Brown, Dr. Crofton, A. D. MacDonald, Capt. E. H. Gage, P. Redmond, J. Ritchie, R. Oliver.

Departures.—J. Ormsby, J. W. Brittain, T. Comyn, T. Stanley, P. H. Edwards, T. Hartnett, J. Squires, J. E. Hayes, P. Fleming, A. Smith, R. Hayes, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Mitchell.

LEINSTER.

Price of Pigs.—There was a large supply of pigs at Enniscorthy Market yesterday. Prices ranged from 66s. to 68s. per cwt.

Monasterevan Co-operative Society.—Mr. Courtney, Irish Agricultural Organisation Society, attended a meeting of the Monasterevan Creamery Committee, when it was decided to form a co-operative society.

Price of Pigs.—Fat pigs realised about 88s. per cwt., dead weight, at Kells Pig Market yesterday.

Kilkenny Poor Rate.—The total amount of the first moiety poor rate lodged with the Kilkenny County Council was £32,318 7s., leaving £11,865 18s. outstanding.

Kilkenny Anglers' Association.—Kilkenny Anglers' Association has appointed a deputation to wait on the Waterford Board of Fishery Conservators in connection with the big draft net on the Tighe estate, Inistioge.

Noxious Weeds Act.—At Naas District Court Ellen Byrne, Blackhall, was fined 40s., and £1 costs, for failing to comply with an order under the Noxious Weeds Act.

Theft of a Ring. — Tessie McGarr, Kilmurry, Clane, was sentenced at Naas to a month's imprisonment, with hard labour, on a charge of stealing a diamond ring, value for £19, from Mrs. Ball, Ardcaen, with whom she was employed as a domestic servant.

MUNSTER.

"Starving Patients."—Arising out of an allegation by Mr. P. L. Ryan, Chairman, County Council, at the Clonmel Mental Hospital Committee, to the effect that the patients were starving, it was decided to demand the holding of an inquiry by the Department. The Resident Medical Superintendent said that if the patients were starving it was not the officers who were starving them. They gave them exactly what the Committee ordered. Mr. Ryan said that £28,035 was spent on the institution before anything reached the mouths of the patients. In the course of further discussion, the Medical Superintendent said that there had never been any complaint from inspectors of the food.

NORTHERN IRELAND.

Old Irish Coin Unearthed.—An old Irish silver coin has been found six feet down in a bog near Newtownbutler by Mr. John Bell, of Newtownbutler. The coin has some Gaelic letters on it.

Gas Poisoning.—A verdict of "Suicide while temporarily insane" was returned by the Belfast Coroner, Dr. James Graham, at the inquest on Henry Keenan, Valentine street, Belfast, who died from gas poisoning, self administered. Evidence was given by Mary Swan, a servant. On last Saturday she entered the house by means of a key and found deceased man with a tube in his mouth attached to the gas jet, which was turned on. Medical evidence showed that death was due to asphyxia as a result of taking coal gas poison.

FREE STATE'S FISCAL POLICY.

PROTECTION OR FREE TRADE?

A debate on the fiscal policy of the Free State, held under the auspices of the Clonmel Chamber of Commerce in the Town Hall, Clonmel, lasted five hours, and was participated in by protectionist advocates from Cork and Dublin and farmer free traders from South Tipperary. The meeting in the main seemed to favour protection.

The Mayor, Councillor J. Riedy, presided, and Mr. John O'Gorman, of Messrs. O'Gorman Bros., President of the Clonmel Chamber of Commerce, was also present. The Mayor said that they desired to keep the people at home, improve industry and help the country on the road to prosperity.

Mr. Brooke Brazier (Cork Farmers' Association) spoke on the need of protection for the development of Irish farming. He submitted figures showing the disastrous effects of free trade, and urged the need of home markets and the stabilising of rural industries.

EMIGRATION AND UNEMPLOYMENT.

Mr. Lalor (Dublin) said that Ireland was suffering from two serious diseases; emigration and unemployment, which were symptomatic of the backward condition of their industries and the prevailing stagnation in the land, brought about by the operations of free trade.

Mr. M. R. Heffernan, T.D., Secretary, Irish Farmers' Union, spoke in defence of free trade, and argued that protection, instead of helping the farmers, would add to their costs and drive more of them into grazing. Messrs. Curran and Conn O'Neill supported this view.

Mr. Timooney (Cappawhite), as a farmer and merchant, supported protection, and said that their industries developed and started under it would, on expansion, reduce prices and add to the wealth and prosperity of the country.

Mr. Dowdall (Cork) said that under free trade Ireland suffered continuous exhaustion through emigration and imports of products. Irishmen were entitled to live and prosper in their own land, and the only means of enabling them to do so was by a proper system of protection, under which industry would be built up, home markets developed, and employment found for the people.

Mr. Liam de Roiste (Cork) spoke in the same strain.

"PIG-FEEDING A GAMBLE."

Mr. J. J. Bergin (Athy) said that they imported three millions' worth of American and Canadian bacon, cheap stuff, but if those millions were spent in producing native bacon suitable for the people it would stabilise the Irish bacon trade and develop it immensely. Under existing conditions pig-feeding was a gamble. He was not a whole-hog protectionist, and did not believe in compulsory tillage; but he contended that charity should begin at home, and if they developed the home markets for Irish products they would be doing good work for farming, and saving it from further decay.

The Mayor read a letter from Mr. J. J. Walsh, Minister for Posts and Telegraphs, strongly advocating protection as the only means of reviving the industrial life of the country.

Mr. Dan Morrissey, T.D., spoke in favour of protection, and said that the speech of Mr. Heffernan made him more convinced than ever of the need of that policy.

SEIZED STAGE PROPERTY

NEWRY COUNCIL AND STRANDED ARTISTS.

H. Pierson, Val. and Wally Rover, three artists of a variety show called "The Wearies," who had been performing in the Town Hall, appeared before Newry Urban Council to seek the release of their stage property.

The Town Clerk explained that a Mr. Hugh Baird had taken the hall for a week and paid a deposit of £2, but, being unable to pay the balance, had "cleared off," leaving the artists to look after themselves. He (the Clerk) consequently ordered the seizure of all the stage property in satisfaction of the balance due.

The Council, having heard the stranded artists, decided that they should be given their individual property, and agreed to indemnify the Clerk on that head.

AUCTION BRIDGE.

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Competition - - No. 85.

PRIZE £2 2/-

Above prize is offered to the competitor who sends in the best answer to each of the following questions. NOTE:—"Z" is always the dealer, and "A" is on his left.

RULES FOR THE COMPETITION.

(1). The correct replies to the questions will be determined by "Palomar," who will give reasons to each.
(2). In each case the reply must be a single definite one. If any condition or limitation is added the reply will be disqualified.
(3). Each competitor may send in one set of answers only.
(4). Replies to be sent to "Palomar," *Irish Times*, Ltd., Dublin, and must arrive not later than the first post on next Friday.

WHAT WOULD YOU BID?

BIDDING.—"Z," one heart; "A," one spade; "Y," no bid. What should "B" declare?

(1). Sp. x H. A, x, x D. J, x, x, x, x Cl. K, x, x, x.
(2). Sp. x, x, x, x H. — D. A, K, x, x, x, x Cl. A, x, x.
(3). Sp. x, x, x H. x D. A, K, Q, 10, x Cl. A, x, x, x.
(4). Sp. x H. Q, x x D. A, K, x, x, x 10, x, x, x.
(5). Sp. K, J, x H. A, J, 10, 9 D. K, Q, x Cl. K, J, x.
(6). Sp. K, x, x H. A, J, 10, 9 D. A, Q, x Cl. K, J, x.
(7). Sp. x, x H. Q, x, x D. J, x, x Cl. J, x, x, x, x.
(8). Sp. x, x H. A, D. K, Q, 10, x x Cl. K, Q, J, x, x.

WHAT WOULD YOU LEAD?

BIDDING.—"Z," one no-trump; "A," double; "Y," redouble; "B," two clubs; "Z," no bid; "A," no bid; Y, double; all pass. What should "Z" open?

(9). Sp. A, 3 H. Q, J, 7, 5 D. K, J, 9, 3 Cl. 8, 7, 6.
(10). Sp. 10, 9, 4 H. Q, J, 8 D. A, J, 10, 3, 2 Cl. K, 6.

Result of Competition No. 84.

Two competitors have tied, being equal in merit. The prize will, therefore, be divided, giving one guinea each to Mr. H. Cobbe, 2 Ashfield avenue, Ranelagh, Co. Dublin; and Mr. H. W. Day, 2 Sandford avenue, Donnybrook, Co. Dublin.

THE PLAY.

Tricks.	A.	Y.	B.	Z.
1.	K H.*	5 H.	9 H.	2 H.
2.	A H.	6 H.	J H.	6 Sp.*
3.	A D.*	2 D.	9 D.	K D.
4.	3 H.	8 H.	Q H.	8 Sp.*
5.	5 D.	10 D.	Q D.*	4 D.
6.	4 Cl.	10 Cl.	K Cl.	A Cl.*
7.	2 Sp.	3 Sp.	5 Sp.	K Sp.*
8.	4 Sp.	J Sp.*	7 Sp.	10 Sp.
9.	9 Sp.	A Sp.*	6 Cl.	Q Sp.
10.	8 D.	J D.*	8 Cl.	2 Cl.
11.	7 H.	7 D.*	J Cl.	3 Cl.
12.	9 Cl.	6 D.*	4 H.	5 Cl.
13.	10 H.	3 D.*	Q Cl.	7 Cl.

RESULT:—A and B, 3. Y and Z, 10. 45 for honours.

"Y" is not strong enough to assist "Z's" spades on the first round; but "Z's" second bid of clubs forces "Y" to decide between the two suits.

Players must often get a hand like this, and the first thing that catches the declarer's eye when the dummy appears is the splendid cross-ruff between his and dummy's hand—and yet if he pause a moment longer to consider he will see game cannot be won by cross-ruffing if the adversaries lead trumps when in with the diamond. If declarer put dummy in with a trump to take the finesse against the diamond queen, "B" must cover the knave which will set up the 8 for his partner. To succeed by this method of play, the queen of diamonds must be caught; but playing the suit off from the top will win game regardless of the position of the queen.

The problem here is—play for the longest suit instead of cross-ruffing, and thus make sure of game.

It may not come amiss to point out the correct card for "B" to play to first trick should be the 9—not the 4. The former, while running no risk of blocking partner's suit, is also an encouraging signal to continue, whereas the 4 may block, and anyway means to partner—don't look to me for help.

WOOLLEN PIECE GOODS.

USE OF THE IRISH TRADE MARK.

At a recent meeting of the Council of the Irish Industrial Development Association (Incorporated), held at 102-3 Grafton street, Dublin—Senator Colonel Sir Nugent T. Everard, Bart., Chairman, presided.

Correspondence was read from the Irish Woollen Manufacturers' Association and a number of woollen mills regarding the practice of sending Irish woven piece goods to England for dyeing and finishing. The practice, it was observed, is far from general, as the great majority of Irish woollen mills have their own dyeing and finishing plants. The finishing of woollens is carried out in County Dublin by a firm that specialises in the work. The Association is without information, however, as to the existence in the country of a Commission house for dyeing woollen piece goods.

In order to secure that the Irish trade mark shall represent the utmost possible Irish production, the Council of the Association decided that as from January 1st of next year, the Irish trade mark may only be stamped on woollen piece goods, which have been woven, shrunk, dyed, and finished in Ireland. The Secretary was instructed to notify all authorised woollen manufacturers to this effect.

HALF-HOUR SPEECH FROM DOCK

At the Waterford Circuit Court, Stanhope Gillman Headman Power, who described himself as an Indian railway official, was sentenced to twelve months' imprisonment for obtaining goods to the amount of £37 16s. 1d. and £46 in cash by false pretences from Richard A. Dee, wholesale merchant, Waterford.

The prisoner made a speech from the dock lasting over half an hour, during which he characterised the evidence of the prosecution as "a heterogeneous mass of absurdities and irregularities." He also asserted that Mr. Ryan, State solicitor, had done his best to paint him as a hideous monster of iniquity.

Judge Sealy, in sentencing the prisoner, described him as a wrong-headed, plausible rogue, and not a fit man to let loose on the community.



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DEBT DEBATE MAY BE POSTPONED.

FRENCH PARLIAMENTARY PROGRAMME.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

PARIS, Thursday.

Proposals for the postponement of the debate on the London and Washington debt agreements until the January session of the French Parliament, may be submitted to-day.

M. Poincaré, it is understood, intends to demand the postponement of all interpellations, and will request that the session confines its labours wholly to consideration of the Budget of 1927, and the approval of the Government economy decrees.

M. Briand is expected to make a detailed outline of the foreign programme, including a full report on the Thoiry negotiations to the Foreign Affairs Committee, and the Senate as a whole will act on the Budget as soon as the bill is received from the Chamber. It is anticipated that the special session will be ready for adjournment by December 20.

56 YEARS' RAILWAY SERVICE.

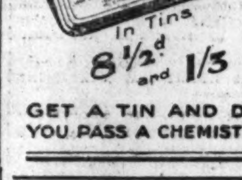
Permanent-way Inspector Samuel Wilson, Woodenbridge, has retired on pension after 56 years' service. He worked with the old Dublin, Wicklow and Wexford Railway; Dublin, South-Eastern Railway, and finally the Great Southern Railways. He has never been absent one day through illness, and has lived all his life between Aughrim and Woodenbridge.

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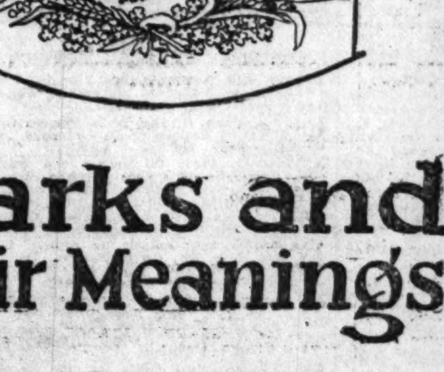
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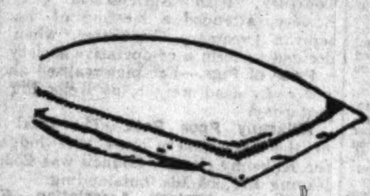
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THE HIBERNIAN BANK, LIMITED, Plaintiffs;
And
PATRICK McMANUS, by BRIDGET McMANUS, his Guardian ad litem, and BRIDGET McMANUS, Defendants.
TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION,
In One Lot,
Pursuant to an Order of the Court dated 19th January, 1925,
By MESSRS. W. and G. ARMSTRONG,
The Auctioneers appointed by the Court,
AT THEIR OFFICES, MARKET STREET, KELLS,
On SATURDAY, the 27th NOVEMBER, 1926,
At the hour of 12 o'clock noon.
PARTICULARS.
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ANTIQUE Silver Cups, Candlesticks, Salvers, Sugar Bowls, etc.; also Diamond Ornaments, Precious Stones and Old Gold; highest prices given.—West and Son, Grafton House, Grafton street. T

AT Kelly's, 48 Fleet street, you can Sell, for cash, Diamonds, Pearls, Emeralds, Antique Silver and Old Sheffield. Established 1795. 6 F

BENSON'S give best prices for Old Gold, Silver and Platinum, also Artificial Teeth; cash by return.—51 Mary street, Dublin. 21 X

FEATHER BEDS WANTED.
Highest prices given. Will send to examine in city.—IRISH FEATHER CO., LTD., TARA ST., Dublin. IRISH FIRM. 'Phone, 661. T

OLD Clock Hands or Military Curios Wanted.—Major Browning, Edward place, Clonmel. 13 1

WANTED, to Buy Books, Magazines, Novels, Furniture.—Woods, 77 Aungier street. 8 A

WANTED, Child's Motor Car, in good condition; cheap.—S 1767, this office.

MACHINERY.

BOLTS and Nuts—Engineers' Bright and Black 3-16" to 3/4"; also Set Screws, Whitworth and B.S.F.; large stocks.—Booth Bros., Dublin. X

CORN Crushers, Grinding Mills, Pulpers, Oil Engines.—The Dairy Engineering Co. of Ireland, Ltd., 21-22 Bachelor's Walk, Dublin. T

NATIONAL Crude Oil Engines and Petrol-Paraffin Engines for immediate despatch; also Peat and Wood Refuse Suction Plants. Apply National Gas Engine Company, Ltd., 186 Pearse street, Dublin. 10 A

PLANING and Moulding Machine, with Side Cutter, 12" wide; sell cheap.—S 1685, this office. 9 F

RAILS for Sale, suitable for Girders, Uprights or Hay Sheds, etc., cut to lengths; Bed Angles for Fencing; also Field Gates and Posts, complete.—McGowan Brothers, Store street, Dublin. T

WANTED, small Panel Planer, also Surface, must be in good order; state lowest cash price and where seen.—Blackwater Mills, Navan. 10 A

WANTED, 50 Volt Battery; must be sound.—S 1747, this office. 10 A

WANTED, Patent Safety Lid for Melvin 2 sack Dough Kneader. Address "Z 1963, Lid," this office.

TIMBER.

BLOCKS, £3 10/- ton delivered, or 3/6 8 stone.—Woods, 42 Westland Row. 8 E

BEECHWOOD Blocks, 9" to 12", delivered, 50/- per ton.—Mulligan, Contractor, Celbridge. 10 E

CUT Firewood, with small 10 h.p. Tractor and Circular Saw Push Bench; cheap.—Murray, Triermore, Kells, Meath. 8 E

FIREWOOD, cut and split ready for use, at Little Forest, Cloghran, or delivered in city in ton lots. Sneyd, Little Forest, Cloghran, or Mount Gamble, Swords. 6 F

FIREWOOD—Ash, Beech, cut to suit ranges, 2/9 sack, delivered 3/-.—Manager, Terenure Saw Mills. 8 E

FOR Sale, a quantity of Spruce and Scotch, twice transplanted and well rooted stuff; prices on application. Address "Z 1885, Timber," this office. 8 A

FIREWOOD Blocks, 3/6 cwt.—Sawmills, South Lotts road. Telephone Ballsbridge 585. 9 F

FIREWOOD Blocks, 10" by 4"; Oak, Ash, Beech, delivered any address Dublin, five ton lots; £2 15/0 per ton. Apply Manager, Martinstown Estate, Curragh, Kildare. 6 F

FIRE Blocks, cut and split, suitable for grates; larger if required; mostly Beech and Ash; £2 per ton here.—Robinson, Newberry Hall, Carbury, Co. Kildare. 9 F

FIREWOOD—Logs, split in handy lengths, 3/9 per cwt., 3 cwt. 10/6; delivered city; 'phone 51434. 31 Lower Clanbrassil street. 9 F

FIREWOOD, cut and split to suit small grates, 60/- per ton, delivered Dublin.—Jelley, Santry. 9 B

FOR Sale, Firewood Blocks on rail Mullingar, at 35/- per ton, or carriage paid North Wall at 46/- per ton in 7 ton waggon lots.—P. Flanagan and Sons, Ltd., Mullingar. 9 A

FIREWOOD, in waggon lots; Oak, Ash, and Beech, put on rail each day at Attanagh and Ballyragget Stations, at 30/- per ton; can supply all orders, having two large mills sawing. Telephone No. 3, Freshford. 9 11

FIREWOOD Blocks (small) for Sale, 70/- ton, or half ton lots; Black Turf, 3/- bag, delivered city.—Dillon's, Upper Gloucester place; 'phone, 5198. 10 F

FIREBLOCKS, Beech, 9", £2 15/- ton, 3/- cwt., delivered Dun Laoghaire district.—S 1779, Irish Times Branch Office, Dun Laoghaire. 10 A

FIREWOOD—Beech, Ash, Oak, and soft wood, cut to any dimensions; large quantities for disposal.—Mount Bellew Mills, Co. Galway. 6 A

TIMBER CONTINUED.

FIREWOOD—Oak and Beech Blocks, 43/- per ton, f.o. canal boat, Spencer Dock, Dublin.—Murray, Mosstown, Longford. 11 A

FOR Sale, growing Ash; convenient city. Address "Z 1961, Ash," this office. 11 F

FIRE Blocks, delivered in Dublin, ton or half ton lots; 50/- per ton; cash on delivery. Address "Z 1970, Timber," this office. 11 B

LARGE quantity Cleaved Fire Blocks for Sale, 35/- per ton.—Castletown Demesne, Celbridge. 9 F

LOGS—Ash, Beech, two pounds ten shillings per ton, delivered immediately. Apply Steward, Oakly Park, Celbridge. 11 F

STANDING Timber for Sale.—Taney House, Dundrum.

TIMBER for Sale, 12 inch Blocks, £3 per ton, delivered.—Kavanagh, 8 New street, Dublin. 8 E

TIMBER for Sale—About 100 Ash Trees, 14 miles from Dublin. Address "Z 1974, Timber," this office. 11 F

WANTED, regular supplies Ash Fellowes, Shafts and Beds. Address "Z 1962, Timber," this office. 11 F

WOOD Logs, £3 per ton, delivered.—Murray, Roebuck Park.

WANTED, Oak, Ash or Beech Trees, between Dublin and Bray, convenient for lorry; state particulars. Address "Z 1969, Trees," this office. 11 F

1,000 TONS Oak Firewood Blocks, good quality and price right; large quantity of good Oak Fencing Stakes; also open to Buy 200 Acres of standing Hardwood Timber for cash.—Myers and Son, Birr. Established 1875. 8 10

GARDEN, FARM, BEES, ETC.

ALL Bulbs for Christmas Flowering and Garden Planting should now be ordered from Drummonds; also Bulb Bowls in great variety. Catalogues post free on application.—W. Drummond and Sons Ltd., 57, 58 Dawson street, Dublin. T

APPLE Trees and all other Fruit Trees, Forest Trees, Ornamental Shrubs and Hedge Plants, at lowest prices. Catalogues sent free on application.—Nash, Athlone. 16 28

APPLE Trees—Bramleys, the hardiest and most profitable of all varieties; strong, rough shaped Trees, to fruit next season, 16/- and 20/- per dozen.—Nash, Athlone. 16 28

APPLE Trees—12 in 12 best varieties early, mid-season, and late, 12/-, 16/-, 20/-, and 24/-; all clean, healthy plants.—Nash, Athlone. 16 28

APPLE Trees, three year bush, in leading varieties, 2/- each, 20/- per dozen; also extra strong Bramley's Seedling, 2/6 each, 25/- per dozen; packing free; Lo., Sligo; carriage paid on all orders £3 and upwards.—Manager, Lissadell, Sligo. T

AUCTION Fruit Trees, Roses, Shrubs, Thursday, 18th. Two o'clock, 11 South King street.—Arthur Jones and Son. 11 D

DOZENNE de Comice Pears, 3/6 a dozen, carriage forward.—Gardener, Woodbrook, Portarlington. 11 B

FOR Sale, large Swede Turnips.—Somerville, Rathfarnham. 8 E

MANGOLDS—Prime Yellow Globe for Sale.—Murray, Shankill Castle, Shankill, Co. Dublin. 9 F

PINK Almond Shrub, Lobster Plants, Pink, Blue Hydrangeas, Variegated Aspriades, 1/-; Pink, Scarlet Rambler Roses, 6d.; Golden King Fuchsias, 3d. each; John's Wort, 6d. dozen; list free.—Lodge, Gorey.

TURNIPS—Wanted, lots from 20 tons upwards; delivery taken from farmer's place; lowest for cash.—S 1770, this office. 10 E

TURNIPS 20/- per ton.—D'Olier, Kilmullen, Newtownmountkennedy. 10 E

50 TONS Prime Globe Mangels for Sale, 25/- per ton on rail Castlebellingham.—Albert Jeffers, Drumleck, Castlebellingham. 11 F

POULTRY, CAGE BIRDS, DAIRY.

CONNEMARA MOUNTAIN MUTTON.
BEST MOUNTAIN WETHER MUTTON delivered at any Railway Station in Ireland, carriage paid, at the following prices:—

Fore and Hindquarters alternately ..	1/2 per lb.
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By post, 1½d. per lb. extra.
Days of despatch—Tuesday and Thursday.
Terms—Cash with order or approved monthly accounts.
Please order early to prevent disappointment.
Apply MISS EDYTHE HEATHER, Errislannan Manor, Clifden, Connemara.

BLACK Minorca Cockerels (Hunter's) for Sale or Exchange.—Milne, Artane. 10 E

CANARIES, Parrots, etc.; Bird Lime, 4d., 1/6, 2/-, post free; Ferrets, 8/-, 10/-, 12/6, 15/-, carriage 1/6.—The Fanciers' Stores, Upper Ormond quay, Dublin. 9 F

FOR Sale, 24 White Leghorn Pullets, April, 10/6 each or nearest offer. Address "Z 1835, Poultry," this office. 5 O

FOR Sale, Buff Orpington Drakes, full plumage, 7/6 each.—Somerville, Rathfarnham. 8 E

FOR Sale, a lovely pair Light Sussex Cockerels, March hatched. Apply Miss Scott, The Rocks, Crossdoney, Co. Cavan. 9 F

FOR Sale, a few very special pedigree indv. White Leghorn Cockerels.—G. E. Studdert, Corofin. 26 X

FOR Sale, White Leghorn Cockerels, Department ringed; 7/6 each.—Mrs. Falkiner, Woodlawn, Galway. 10 A

MAGNIFICENT mammoth Bronze Turkey Cock (1925), Abbott's direct (ringed), 40/-.—Scott, Farnfield, Ballina. 10 A

PULLETS, Crossbred (March, April, 1926, hatched), 4/- each; Poultry Marking Rings.—King, 118 Capel street, Dublin. 9 F

STOCK Cockerels, Rhodes (Golden's), White Leghorns (Barron's), March hatched; to clear at 12/6 each, for two weeks.—Young, Ashford, Co. Wicklow. 8 4

SPLENDID early Bakersfelder Indian Game, Sussex, White Guinea Fowl, Jersey Giants, Pullets; also Cockerels; cheap. Address "Z 1960, Game," this office.

POULTRY, ETC., CONTINUED.

TABLE Chickens, 1/2 lb. (alive), to call for.—Ashford Poultry Farm, Ashford, Co. Wicklow. 8 4

WANTED, Customer for New Milk; small institution or private hospital night suit; delivered twice daily, South side. Address "Z 1882, Milk," this office. 8 E

12 APRIL Crossbred Pullets 40/-, six 21/-; 7 Pure White Wyandotte, 37/6; approval; delivered.—Byrne, Aughrim, Wicklow. 9 F

FURNITURE.

AT Highest Value—James Hill and Son, Bachelor's Walk, Purchase Furniture, Pianos, Antiques. T

CHESTERFIELD Suite, also Lounge Chairs, Selling Half Price.—Kehoe, Alma, Rathmines Park. 8 A

FOR Sale, China Cabinet, Piano, 6 piece Plush Suite, Overmantel, mirrored Wardrobe, Bed.—27 St. Declan road, Marino. 10 A

FOR Sale, Jacobean Bedroom Suite, with Double Bed to match; perfect; cheap. Apply S 1831, this office. 11 F

FOR Sale, Stained Wood Wardrobe and Chest of Drawers (small), good condition; seen by appointment.—327, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot street Bridge.

LAWLOR, Briscoe will Buy or Sell your Surplus Furniture. Auctions every Thursday.—33 Ormond quay. T

RED Plush Armchair, perfect order. Sell moderate.—S 1801, this office. 11 F

SEAMLESS Axminster Carpets, 12 x 9, samples, £6; Rugs, 18/6.—Lanigan, 32 Lower Ormond quay. 9 F

SOLID Oak Sideboard, bevelled mirror back; Bed, Hair Mattress.—84 Upper George's street, Kingstown. 11 B

WANTED, Carpet; must be in good condition; about eleven feet square.—S 1812, this office. 10 E

6 MAHOGANY Diningroom Chairs and Table, 6 Piece Walnut Sittingroom Suite, in tapestry, as new; White Bedroom Suite, new Carpet, Lino. Apply 130 Drumcondra road. 10 E

MUSIC, PIANOS, ETC.

'CELLO for Sale, beautiful tone, made by Dollard, one of the Perry School; can be seen by appointment.—S 1665, this office.

GRAMOPHONE Stores, Only address, Johnston's Court (beside Clarendon Street Church), Grafton street. Largest stocks in Ireland. X

OPERAS, Oratories, Violin and Piano Classics, Songs, etc., secondhand, cheap; state requirements.—S 1818, this office.

SMALL Grand Piano (German), splendid tone. Sell £250; no dealers.—S 1606, this office. 8 E

UPRIGHT Iron Grand German Overstrung Piano (Matz, Berlin); £55; rosewood case.—S 1725, this office. 11 A

DRESS AND COSTUME.

ABOUT Clothes—Mrs. Higgins, 1 Aston's quay, pays highest prices Ladies', gentlemen's, Children's Left Off Clothing, Jewellery, Artificial Teeth; country parcels received. T

ABOUT Clothes—Mrs. Cusack, 65 Aungier street, gives highest prices for Left Off Clothing, Furniture, etc.; distance no objection. T

ABOUT Clothes—Highest prices for Ladies', Gents', Children's Left Off Clothing, Furniture; distance no objection.—Mrs. White, 15 Aungier street. T

CASH paid for Left Off Clothes, Jewellery, Furniture, Pictures, China, False Teeth; postcard immediate attention. Telephone, 435 Rathmines.—Wellington House, 35 Wellington quay. T

DUN Laoghaire—Goodwins, 110 Patrick street. We Buy Left-off Clothing. Two doors from tram. 10 A

FOR Sale, Natural Musquash Coat, good sound condition; cost £30, accept £15; full length; bargain. Apply Carre, Noel Lodge, Silchester road, Glenageary. 8 E

GREY Marocain Frock, long sleeves, trimmed red; Nigger Glace Strapped Shoes, large 4; Saxe Wool Jumper, Black Soft Felt Hat; sacrifice, 32/- the lot. Address "Z 1978, Dress," this office. 11 F

HANDSOME hand knitted Cream Silk Jumper, 20/-; also Champagne; both new; approval. Address "Z 1946, Jumper," this office. 10 F

LADY wishes dispose of Velour Costume, fawn (Slyne's), three-quarter coat; Satin Lined Brown Tailored Suiting Costume; Blue Silk Knitted Jumper; Grey Kit Fur, length 57 inches; two Gentlemen's Suits, brown, grey; all in perfect condition; short Seal Coat, suitable renovating.—S 1828, this office. 11 F

LADY wishes Sell 3-skin Grey Kit Stole, perfect; £2; appointment view Killiney. Address "Z 1972, Dress," this office. 11 B

LADY has Brown Winter Coat, opossum fur cuffs and collar, perfect, £3 19/-; also Green Coat, same price.—S 1787, this office. 11 F

SELLING, Hunting Cap, velvet, peaked; Tall Silk Hat; both best quality, excellent condition; large heads. Address "Z 1981, Dress," this office. 11 B

WILL Mrs. Browning, who replied to "Z 1795," Gentlewoman," Coat, send her address?

WANTED, good Fur Trimmed Coat, good condition. Particulars, "Z 1983, Coat," this office.

HORSES, HARNESS, ETC.

AT Morgan's, Upper Kevin street—All classes of Harness, best materials, hand sewn; lowest prices. 10 A

BLACK Pony, sound, ridden and driven by children; only sold good home.—S 1521, this office. 7 E

HARNESS, large stock, all hand sewn.—Patterson, 9 George's quay, Butt Bridge. 9 F

TRAP and Farm Harness, best quality, lowest prices. Smith, 93 Marlborough street, Dublin (the Pillar). T

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PORK SEASON

Porkers, under 84lbs.	120/-	per cwt. dead weight
" 112lbs.	108/-	"
" 140lbs.	96/-	"
Pigs, under 12 st. 8lbs. ...	88/-	"
" 14st. ...	82/-	"
" 16st. ...	78/-	"
Sows, all weights ...	76/-	"

Only pigs alive taken.
The above prices may be varied without notice. Excessively fat pigs will be cut 4/- per cwt.
DUNNELLY, LTD., BACON CURERS, DUBLIN.

A BEAUTIFUL Half Jersey Springer, time almost up, third calf. Apply The Priory, Stillorgan, Co. Dublin. 'Phone 299, Blackrock. 8 E

CHINCHILLA Doe, strong, healthy, unmated, 17/6, carriage paid. Address "Z 1979, Doe," this office.

FOR Sale, magnificent licensed pedigree 4 year Bull. Address "Z 1957, Bull," this office. 11 B

FOR Sale, a good Shorthorn Bull Calf, fortnight old. Ardilea, Roebuck, Dundrum.

FOR Sale, Dairy Shorthorn Bull, two years old.—Doyle and Son, Athy.

FOR Sale, Pure Bred Friesian Bull, ten months old.—Doyle and Son, Athy.

SOW, Large York, half gone, first litter.—The Priory, Stillorgan, Co. Dublin. 'Phone 299 Blackrock. 8 E

WANTED, a Middle White Sow on first or second litter. Address "Z 1973, Sow," this office. 11 F

YOUNG Pigs, large White, pedigree, prize winning Sows and Boars, now booking at five guineas each.—Murray, Triermore, Kells, Meath. 8 E

INDEX TO SMALL ADVERTS.
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DOGS.

ALSATIANS—Champion Bred Puppies for Sale; cheap.—17 Rugby road, Ranelagh. 10 E

A BEAUTIFUL Male Red Irish Setter, 18 months, highly trained to grouse, cock and snipe; good worker and steady. Apply James Cronin, Bolin, Bantry. 11 B

AT Stud—The well known Irish Blue Terrier, Tarsan's Chip, winner of numerous prizes. Full particulars from owner, P. D. McCreery, L.D.S., 5 William street, Kilkenny. 11 B

BULLDOGS for Sale—(1) "Gorey Lady," served by "Valiant Verdict," September 30th, believed to be in whelp; she is the dam of "Elmore Dinah," winner of two Challenge Certificates in England; (2) "Valiant Verdict," a grand show and stud dog. For further particulars apply to Wm. R. Reynolds, Gorey.

BEAUTIFUL Irish Setter Puppies, champion pedigree, parents prize winners.—Hill View, Ballymoney, Thurles. 11 B

BEAUTIFUL Pedigree Black Cocker Puppies for Sale. Miss Harold Barry, Ballyvonare, Buttevant. 11 B

CHAMPION bred Wire Fox Terrier Bitch, good companion; great sport and ratter; bargain, 30/- or best offer.—Newtown House, Swords. 10 E

COLLIE—Well bred handsome Male, ten months old, over distemper; good watch dog; 3 guineas.—Thorncroft, Killiney. 11 F

FOR Sale, an exceptionally strong, healthy Litter of Greyhound Puppies, whelped July, 1926, by Cheerful Speed, the greatest sire of to-day, dam Bring Her Up, by Honeyman ex Down the Glen, a big winner in good company and full sister to Royal Signet, Noble Lady, Sycle, and Golden Square, great winners, also in best company; see Stud Book. This is undisputedly a splendid opportunity of obtaining the real, true running blood. Further particulars, apply M. Dunne, Ferns. 10 F

LOVELY Toy Yorkshire Bitch, 13 months, perfect house manners, sturdy, small; sire "Master of Pelion," dam "Biddy"; to good home £5; owner leaving.—S 1822, this office. 11 F

PEKINGESE Puppies for Sale, little beauties, champion bred; cheap.—1 Duke street. 8 E

POINTER Puppies, five months old; Dogs £3 10/-, Bitches £3; Pointer Dog, trained, steady, £10; Ferrets 10/-. Address "Z 1940, Dogs," this office. 10 A

SALE, pure Black Cocker Bitch, with 4 Pups, mother 50/-, each pup 35/-.—Lodge Park, Kingstown. 8 E

SETTER Dog, perfectly trained; Boyne breeding; trial given. Address "Z 1902, Dog," this office. 9 F

SPANIEL, English Springer, young bitch, in whelp to champion dog.—Foley, 3 Davitt street, Tipperary. 10 A

SALE, Setter Bitch, perfectly trained; trial, security; cheap, £6; three years.—S 1814, this office. 11 B

SEALYHAM Puppies, two months old, sire and dam prize winners; price reasonable. Apply Miss Nagle, Byblox, Doneraile. 5 X

THE "Irish Field" is the official organ of the Irish Kennel Club, and publishes lists of Registrations and exclusive reports. Interesting news and best reports of Shows. On sale at all newsagents, price 2d. Subscription terms—Yearly 13/-, half-yearly 6/6 (post free). Head Office—11 D'Olier street, Dublin. T

WIRE haired Fox Terrier Dog, 12 months, pedigree. Particulars, Mulligan, Castle street, Sligo. 10 A

WOULD person who replied to Airedale Advt. kindly do so again, as address mislaid?—Little, Solicitor, Enniskillen.

BUSINESS, BUSINESS PREMISES, LANDS, ETC.
SALE AND WANTED.

A BUILDING Site Wanted for detached or two semi detached Houses, good open position, Donnybrook, Pembroke.—S 1680, this office. 9 F

AUCTION of 4 Aungier street, best side and position of this busy thoroughfare; Shop and 8 rooms over, separate hall entrance to latter; lease 62 years unexpired; rent £35; possession of entire. Sale Wednesday, 24th inst., at 4 Grafton street, 1.30 p.m., by Corrigan and Co., Auctioneers. 10 A

AUCTION of 44 Lower Gardiner street (next Talbot street); very valuable Premises, with newly erected spacious Hall at rear, well lighted, possessing double gate entrance from rear; suit Auctioneers for chattels, Societies, Motor Firms, Manufacturers, etc.; held under Fee Farm Grant, subject to £19 2/2. Auction Wednesday, 24th inst., at 4 Grafton street, 1.30 p.m., by Corrigan and Co., Auctioneers. 10 A

ATTRACTIVE Business Premises for Sale, Parliament street, fully fitted; basement as first class Hairdressing Saloon; ground floor suitable for any business; long lease; low rent; portion of purchase money can remain outstanding. Full particulars from Henry Connolly, Auctioneer, 15 D'Olier street, Dublin.

DRUMCONDRA—Shop and House, 5 apartments, £650; Furniture optional. Particulars Etchingham and Co., 7 Lower Pembroke street. 8 E

FOR Sale, Shop, Dwellinghouse, centre one of best business towns in Northern Ireland; low rent, lease. Address "Z 1906, House," this office. 9 F

GROCERY and Provision Shop—For Sale by private treaty, at a reasonable figure, in best position in Rathmines, the Stock in Trade, Interest in Lease and Goodwill of a Going Concern, well equipped with Berkel and other machines, and doing a safe and profitable trade. Further particulars, apply Wm. Montgomery and Son, 24 Suffolk street.

OFFICE to Let, Wicklow street. Apply Cabin Cafe, 30/31 Wicklow street. 10 A

OFFICE, small, 15/- week. Seen any time, 11 Wicklow street.

OFFICES, two, first floor, large rooms.—19 Lord Edward street, adjoining City Hall. 11 F

SPLENDID Suite of Offices, newly built; 6 rooms, 2 lavatories; well lighted, gas fire and electric light in each room; suit large commercial company; over New York House, Cork. 10 A

TWO Rooms to Let, 1 Aungier street; suitable for offices or showrooms.—S 1729, this office. 10 A

TO Let in Limerick City, spacious Premises, centrally situated, suitable for factory or store; furnished office, strong room, 'phone; electric power laid on. Apply James Welply and Sons, Estate agents, Limerick. 11 A

VALUABLE Stores, suitable for any industry or manufactory, with comfortable Dwellinghouse attached, to Let or Lease, important Northern town in Irish Free State. Address "Z 1880, Stores," this office. 8 A

WANTED, Shop and House to Buy or Rent, solvent tenant, one year's rent in advance, or Lock-up Shop might suit. Apply S 1699, this office. 9 F

WANTED to Buy small Farm with House, Dublin, Kildare, Meath. Particulars, S 1768, this office. 10 E

WANTED, small Stockroom and Office (combined).—S 1824, this office. 11 B

2 SMALL Front Offices, first floor, to Let.—4 Nassau street. 11 B

HOUSES AND LANDS FOR SALE.

ABANDON House Hunting, and apply to Garvey and Good, who will supply your wants. Expert advice given free to persons wanting to buy or sell. Register kept of Houses and Residences, large and small, in all districts in and around city. Call or write to Garvey and Good, Surveyors, Valuers, Auctioneers and House Agents, 21 Lincoln place, Dublin. T

Albert MacArthur is "The Housefinder," 52 O'Connell street. T

AT Blackrock—Very desirable Cottage Residence, semi-detached, non-basement, in perfect order; 5 rooms, hot bath, gardens; long lease; rent only £5; close to trams and sea. Apply Hanley and Co., Auctioneers, Blackrock. 8 8

ATTRACTIVE Houses in Pembroke Township—Anglesea road, Waterloo road, Strand road, Merrion, Pembroke road, Eglinton road, Merrion Parade. Particulars Etchingham and Co., 7 Lower Pembroke street. 8 E

AT Blackrock—Attractive semi-detached, non-basement Residence (possession), 7 rooms, tiled kitchen, hot bath, garden, out-offices, garage, with large separate entrance; lease for ever; only subject to £3 10/-; £1,100. Apply Sole Agents, Hanley and Co., Main street, Blackrock. 8 E